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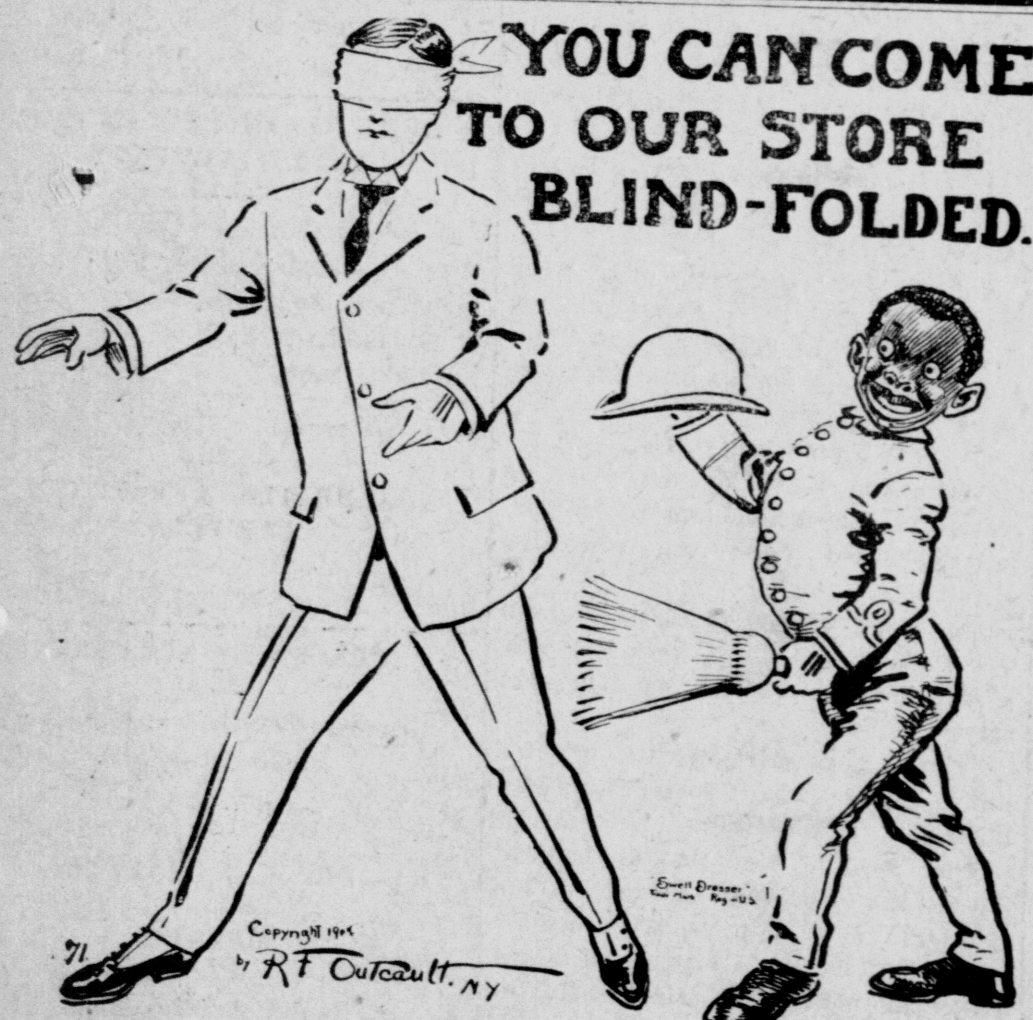
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\$10 TO \$25 WILL BUY YOU A GOOD ALL WOOL
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C. R. Drummond

Welcome--Thrice Welcome

OUTFITTER FOR MEN

ADA, OKLAHOMA

HORRIBLE TRAGEDY; MURDERS HIS WIFE; ATTEMPTS SUICIDE

ALLEN, OKLA., SHOCKED AND
FRENZIED BY AWFUL CRIME
OF ONE OF HER CITIZENS

MOB VIOLENCE ONCE FEARED

But All Is Quiet, Waiting the End
of Man Who Was So Des-
perate—Sure to Die

One of the most blood curdling, heart chilling crimes in the history of Pontotoc County, occurred yesterday at the town of Allen. While we are unable to obtain full particulars, we are certain one woman is dead and her husband is dying.

A Mr. Prentis, a farmer, living near Allen became engaged in a quarrel with his wife; whereupon the wife threatened separation and made a dash for liberty. Prentis, who doubtless had threatened his wife with violence, followed her, as is alleged, about fifty yards down the street with a shotgun and fired, shooting her through the heart and killing her instantly. The break for liberty, the running for life availed the frightened woman nothing. She paid the death penalty for a family altercation. Murdered by the man who was her sworn protector.

The Chase and Capture.

Prentis, realizing the enormity of his crime, and fearing justice, made a desperate attempt to evade capture by the citizens and officer Drake who were rushing to the scene of the tragedy, by running, first across an open field and then up a small creek. Here his mad flight was intercepted by the still growing crowd of pursuers; consequently he turned to ward the city, but finding all hope of escape again cut off, rather than be caught alive he turned the remaining load of the shotgun upon himself with fatal effect.

Prentis, while wounding himself fatally, did not die, and deputy W. W. Drake and others, fearing mob violence, called to Ada for help.

Sheriff Smith being gone to Oklahoma City, Bill Adair and Lem Mitchell responded to the call.

At the last report from Allen we learn that the wounded man is near death's door and all hostile demonstrations against him have ceased.

Later:

Since writing the above, the News called up officer Drake at Allen and learned if he were correctly understood, that Prentis' initials are H. J. and that his wife leaves one child about three or four years of age.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Prentis were well respected at Allen, and the supposition is that he killed his wife while in a fit of jealousy, since the two had been getting along badly for some time.

While public sentiment is strongly against Prentis at present no one can properly place the blame, for no one outside the man and his wife have any connection with the tragedy.

It is further learned that Prentis, after shooting his wife, went first into his home to procure ammunition, but finding none went about a mile to a neighbors and told the neighbor he wanted a load for the gun to shoot a squirrel with. The man readily gave Prentis the coveted load. Upon receiving the ammunition, he retraced his steps to Allen and told Bob Black of that place of his intended suicide. Black prevailed upon the frightened man not to do himself bodily harm and made a move to approach and seize the gun. It was then Prentis retreated, and being followed by citizens and officer Drake, shot himself.

As we go to press Mrs. Prentis is on the way to "silent city of the dead;" mourned by her child, family and friends. She was killed about four o'clock yesterday afternoon, or twenty-four hours ago.

Attorney Wimbish, Bill Adair and Lem Mitchell are now at the scene of the crime.

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BLIZZARD SWEEPS NORTHERN STATES

Heavy Snows, Great Crop Damage

With \$75,000,000 Loss—Steamers

Missing on Great Lakes.

Chicago, April 24.—Twenty-four hours of blizzard sweeping over fifteen states, the great lakes and part of Canada has caused a probable loss to fruit, vegetables and grain crops of \$75,000,000.

Resulted in stranding one steamer and imperilling of fifty others two of which are reported missing.

Spread all territory north of the Mason and Dixon line with from 3 to 24 inches of snow.

Impeded steam railroad, lake and electric transportation.

Coming as it does with millions of acres of fruit trees in blossom, spring wheat and vegetables sprouting, the storm is nothing less than calamitous. In Minnesota, North Dakota and South Dakota much grain will have to be re-seeded.

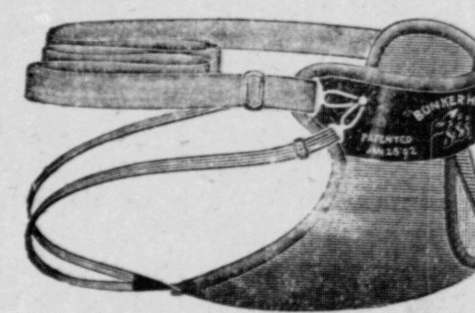
Shipping on the great lakes, where waves are running mountain high, forcing steamers from their courses and in some instances throwing them upon unfriendly beaches suffered immense damage.

The Goodrich transportation line passenger and freight steamer Iowa, succumbing to a furious gale, fell from its course and was rammed ashore four miles south of Racine. Thrilling rescues of frightened passengers were accomplished by the Racine and Kenosha life saving crews.

Train service over the entire north-west and in the Mississippi valley was delayed and one wreck and a number of narrow escapes from serious accidents were reported.

Temperatures throughout the northern states and as far south as Missouri, ranged from 20 to 32. There is no relief in sight for tomorrow, forecasts indicating a continuance of cold and wind.

Roy Givens spent Sunday with home folks at Roff.



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Main Street Property.

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Rats! Rats! Rats!

You should read this advertisement. For while it is an advertisement yet it deals with an important problem that affects the entire country.

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sible subscribers until ordered dis-
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gress of March 3, 1879."



DEMOCRATIC POLI- CAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following are the names of
candidates for public office subject to
the action of the Democratic pri-
maries occurring August 2nd.
The Democratic public is assured
that the names appearing below rep-
resent Democrats, who are regardless
of the proper support of the Demo-
cratic press and respectful toward
the wishes of the people who desire
to become well acquainted with the
name and reputation of the man for
whom they vote.

- For Governor:
LEE CRUCE
- For Attorney General:
CLINT GRAHAM
- For Judge-Criminal Court of Appeals:
HENRY M. FURMAN
- For Clerk Supreme Court:
W. H. L. (Swamp) CAMPBELL
- For State Corporation Commissioner:
GEO. A. HENSHAW
- For District Judge 7th District, Two
Elect:
TOM D. MCKEOWN
A. T. WEST
ROBT. M. RAINEY
- For State Senator 23rd District:
REUBEN M. RODDIE
- For Mine Inspector District No. 1:
JOHN O'BRIEN
- For County Judge:
CONWAY O. BARTON
A. M. CROXTON
EDGAR S. RATLIFF
- For Sheriff:
SAM MCCLURE
GEO. THOMPSON
LEM MITCHELL
ANDY H. CHAPMAN
- For County Clerk:
W. S. KERR
- For District Clerk:
W. T. COX
- For County Treasurer:
J. K. SCROGGINS
J. W. WESTBROOK
R. H. (Rit) ERWIN
- For County Attorney:
ROBT. L. WIMBISH
- For Register of Deeds:
WILMER B. JONES
CROCKET C. HARGIS
- For Superintendent Public Schools:
PROF. T. F. PIERCE
- For County Weigher:
JOHN WARD
SHERWOOD HILL
- For County Commissioner West Dist.:
CHAS. W. FLOYD
- Justice of the Peace, Ada Precinct:
HENRY J. BROWN
- For Constable, Ada Precinct:
E. L. BUNCH

PAID AND UNDER-PAID.

Brains Seems to Be at a Discount
in Wage-Earning.

Guthrie, Okla., April 23.—The av-
erage Oklahoma wage earner has 3.1
persons in his family; receives
\$668.50 in wages annually; spends
\$240.99 of this for food, or 36 per
cent of his total income; his annual
cost of living, including food, fuel,
clothing, sickness and rent, is \$473.20.
His savings are unknown. The av-
erage daily cost of food for each mem-
ber of his family is 21 cents.
This average has been ascertained
by Labor Commissioner C. L. Daugh-
erty, after an exhaustive census of
223 wage earners, of 27 vocations,
including brick layers, school teach-

ers, retail clerks, conductors, miners,
machinists, printers, etc.

Of the 223 wage earners who sub-
mitted their vital statistics, however,
about half earned less than the an-
nual average; 49 earned over \$1,000;
24 between \$900 and \$1,000; 21, be-
tween \$800 and \$900; 27, between
\$700 and \$800; 28, between \$600 and
\$700. 30, between \$500 and \$600; 30,
between \$400 and \$500; 12, between
\$300 and \$400.

Conductors seem to earn the most
annually of any of the vocations,
those reporting, having an annual
earning of \$1,443; printers are also
well paid, receiving \$1,311; railroad
engineers averaged \$1,302; the ubi-
quitous plumber averaged \$1,146;
firemen, printing pressmen, electric-
ians, boiler makers and machinists
all average about the same, between
\$1,005 and \$1,080 annually.

The intellectual school teacher
must undoubtedly feel that brains are
at a discount. Twenty-seven teach-
ers employed in state institutions, av-
eraged \$780 in earnings; 41 first
grade teachers averaged \$677; 24
second grade teachers averaged \$527;
14 third grade teachers averaged
\$470 annually.

The retail clerks averaged \$658;
barbers, \$808; painters, \$865; car-
penters, \$849; brakemen, \$860; mis-
cellaneous occupations, \$937. Even
the lowly hod carrier averages \$580
annually, or considerably more than
second and third grade school teach-
ers.

ROOSEVELT POPULAR WITH THE FRENCH

Delighted With His Reception, Cheer-
ed by Thousands of Intellectual
Frenchmen.

(By A. J. Lambert)

Paris, April 23.—Three thousand
people, filling the Sorbonne, men, and
women, the latter in many cases
heavily jeweled, rose en masse and
cheered Colonel Roosevelt for five
solid minutes at the conclusion of
his address on "Citizenship in a Re-
public."

The colonel was delighted with the
method of his reception, and after
he had been presented mistakenly
with a bust of Jefferson Davis where
one of Lincoln had been intended,
also two Sevres vases, he said to me
that he was more than pleased over
the enthusiasm with which his re-
marks were received. The address
was delivered in English save the
introductory remarks, which were
made in French. To the vice-rector
M. Liard, who came out of a sick
bed to attend the function, the ad-
dress was particularly strenuous.

Now and then Mr. Roosevelt inter-
polated a few addition al vigorous
passages in French, particularly the
interpolation regarding the monied
interests, which he not only spoke
in English, but repeated in French,
as being the creed of his views.

He took all of the classes of citi-
zens whom he views as "undesir-
ables" down the line, and as he scored
the millionaires it was amusing to
witness the expression of Mrs. W.
K. Vanderbilt, wearing her wonder-
ful black costume with diamond or-
naments in her hair and a huge black
hat.

As the colonel scored each point
he would stick his protruding jaw
fightingly forward and banged out
his emphasis with a copy of his
speech. Then the audience would let
forth a thunderous applause.

He spoke for over an hour and a
half, his voice, save for these jocular
interjections of French, main-
taining its even monotony and never
breaking but once during the whole
delivery.

There was particularly vociferous
applause when he said the French
the lesson of their duty in having
children; denouncing those married
couples who are purposely barren in
the strongest terms and prophesying
the terrible fate which they are bring-
ing on themselves.

He was very characteristic when
he told of an anecdote of his west-
ern experience. A cow puncher
started to brand a Maverick with the
Colonel's brand instead of the range
brand. The Colonel told the cow
puncher not to do it.

"Why?" exclaimed the astonished
cow puncher.

"Because," said the Colonel, "if
you will steal from me you will very
likely steal from me."

The whole scene was particularly
brilliant and remarkable and ended
with a demonstration wherein the
faculty, society men and women, and
boy and girl students equally joined.
Colonel Roosevelt dined at the Sor-
bonne and afterwards attended a re-
ception at the famous university.

Curiously enough the invitations to
all the Sorbonne functions were is-
sued for M. Le President Roose-
velt.

Farms Loans. See Carlton Weaver.

PROHIBITION ENFORCEMENT

ATTORNEY LAUGHBAUM OF THE
ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE
SPEAKS

ADDRESSES TWO AUDIENCES

Argument for Continuation of Pro-
hibition Unanswerable.

Judge Laughbaum, attorney for the
Oklahoma Anti-Saloon League, and
special counsel to the Governor, ad-
dressed a good sized audience, in the
afternoon at the Christian church, and
at the Methodist church in the
evening. Among many good things the
speaker said:

It was my privilege, standing in
the opera house at Grand Rapids,
Mich., Sunday afternoon, the 15th
day of December, to address a mass
meeting of men. There on the stage,
with the beautiful large silk U. S.
flag, in my opening remarks I was
extolling the virtues of the state of
Oklahoma, I spoke of the sweetness
of our women and the gallantry of
our men, and then stepping over to
the flag, I took hold of it with my
hand, and stretching it out across
the stage, I said: "and best of all,
where the church of the Lord and
Savior, Jesus Christ, plucked a pure
white star, the 46th state, to repre-
sent the new state of Oklahoma and
planted it in Old Glory, and entered
a pledge on that day that so long as
that flag, with that star, floats over
Oklahoma, it shall never float legal-
ized licensed saloons."

So I am here tonight to defend the
old flag, and I feel deeply and keenly
the individual responsibility resting
on me to keep that star pure and
white, and I hope that I may be
able to shoulder upon each one of
you some of that responsibility.

There is another reason of more
importance, however, for which I feel
more deeply and more keenly the
individual responsibility resting up-
on me at this hour, for we are now
standing upon virgin soil; soil that
has never known a legalized licen-
sized saloon since the beginning of
the world and that shall never know
a legalized licensed saloon so long as
time shall last, unless the church of
Oklahoma takes a backward step.

Twenty-three millions of people
live south of the Mason and Dixon
line, and twenty-one millions of us
are living in prohibition territory.

Some people say that prohibition
does not prohibit and that there is
more liquor sold and drunk in a pro-
hibition state than where they have
saloons. Some one once made such a
statement to Sam P. Jones, and he
replied by asking the party if the
liquor men did not sell all they
could when we had licensed saloons.

The party answered that they did,
and Sam Jones replied by saying,
"You fool, you, then can they sell
more than they can when the saloons
are closed?" Go with me to Okla-
homa City and we will go up North
Broadway to third street and turning
down Third street as far as the Santa
Fe railroad track and there we can
stand and look at a monument six
stories high, built of stone and brick,
pointing silently vacant into the
heavens, today, and pointing out to
all mankind in Oklahoma that in Ok-
lahoma prohibition does prohibit; and
that monument is the New State
Brewery. Now, let the federal govern-
ment amend the interstate laws
and the postal laws so that when
Schlitz, Pabst, Schmidt, Helms, An-
heuser-Busch send their nefarious
product into Oklahoma, we can secure
a requisition from our government
upon the government of their states
and bring these men down into Ok-
lahoma and work them upon our
public highways along with the boot-
legger that bootlegs their product.

The Anti-Saloon League is making
a campaign this year from Maine to
California and from Washington to
Florida and to each congressional
district for the purpose of electing
congressmen that will support an
amendment to the interstate com-
merce laws, so that the brewers and
distillers of other states cannot ship
their product into prohibition states.

Let's make this our fight in Oklahoma
in each and every congressional dis-
trict and see to it that men running
for congress stand in favor of the
amendment of the interstate com-
merce law.

The campaign element told us during
the campaign for state-wide prohibi-
tion that if we closed up the saloons
it would kill our cities and towns,
that grass would grow upon the
streets. Fearing that the saloon ele-
ment was telling us the truth, we
got busy in Oklahoma City paving
our streets, and now have near 60

miles of asphalt paved streets, and
Ada is paving many blocks of her
streets, and we are sure that grass
will not grow in these streets. The
bank deposits each year since state-
hood have increased from one to two
millions of dollars. The individual
bank deposits in the state for the
first two years of statehood increased
over six millions of dollars. Eighteen
cities and towns in Oklahoma that
did not have a single foot of paved
streets when we had the saloons,
are now paving the streets. Thirty-
five hundred new school houses have
been built since statehood. Oklahoma
is more prosperous than ever and I
take it that our people will not take
a backward step and that they will
see to it that the star in Old Glory
remains pure and white and that the
soil in the Indian Territory part of
our state remains virgin soil and
never becomes polluted by the legal-
ized licensed saloon.

In order to continue this prosperity
in Oklahoma and keep the star pure
and white in Old Glory and the soil
in the Indian country virgin, we
must enforce our law.

FROM TEXAS TO MOBILE MARCH STARTED YESTERDAY

The Heaviest Move of Texans to Mo-
bile in Years—Many Specials
Are Run.

Dallas, Tex., April 24.—Confeder-
ate veterans of Texas will depart to-
day for the annual reunion at Mo-
bile. Veterans from the West and
Norwest will go to Fort Worth on
regular trains, and there take a special
to be run by the Texas and
Pacific. Gen. K. M. Van Zandt, com-
mander of the Texas division, and his
staff and the veterans of Camp Robert
E. Lee, will be aboard of the
special, which will stop at Dallas
for Gen. W. L. Cabell, commander
of the Trans-Mississippi Department,
and his staff.

The train will leave the Dallas city
depot at 11:10 a. m. Veterans will
be picked up at all the stations en
route. Veterans from points north of
the Texas and Pacific will join the
party at Marshall, from which point
the train will be run in two sec-
tions.

The two sections will consist of
twenty cars—one baggage car, one
lunch car, four coaches, three chair
cars, eleven tourists' cars, and four
standard sleepers. In addition to the
special, the Texas and Pacific will
place extra equipment on all regular
trains. The Tyler and Willis Point
bands will furnish music for the
trip.

The Texas and Pacific railroad pro-
vided a special car for the inmates
of the Soldiers' Home at Austin. The
party left Austin last night over the
International and Great Northern.
Their coach will be attached to the
special at Longview today.

C. P. Fegan of the passenger de-
partment of the Texas and Pacific
railroad said yesterday that the indi-
cations were that this would be the
heaviest movement of veterans from
Texas in many years; that his infor-
mation was that there would be large
delegations from Amarillo, Quanah,
Vernon, and other points on the Fort
Worth and Denver; also from Sweet-
water, Colorado, Abilene and Weath-
erford in the West, and San Angelo,
Brownwood, Comanche and Stephen-
ville on the Fort Worth and Rio
Grande. Larger delegations will rep-
resent Clarksville, Paris, Mount Ver-
non, Mount Pleasant and other points
in Northeast Texas. J. A. Chilton,
traveling passenger agent of the Tex-
as and Pacific railroad, will accom-
pany the excursionists to Mobile and
arrange for their return.

The members of Camp Sterling
Price will meet at headquarters just
before train time and proceed to the
station in a body to see the dele-
gates leave.

Gen. Cabell will go and reserva-
tions have been made for the follow-
ing members of his staff: Gen. Milton
Park, Gen. R. M. Gano, Major B. S.
Wathen, Col. H. W. Graber, Col. Sam-
uel Mendez, and Major Thomas H.
Kingsley.

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SENTATIVE HUMORIST STILL-
ED IN SWEET RELEASE,
RESTS IN GOD'S ACRE.

SERVICES MODEST AND SHORT

Many Crowded the Church to Take a
Last Look at the Man Who Was
Known as Well as Washing-
ton.

New York, April 23.—The body of
Mark Twain began today its last
journey from the sunny chamber
where it had lain in Stormfield to the
spot in God's Acre, where it shall
rest at last beside those whom he
"loved long since and lost a while."
Funeral services were said in the
old brick Presbyterian church at
Fifth avenue and Thirty-seventh
street, this city, by Dr. Henry A. Van
Dyke, professor of English literature
at Princeton university at 3 o'clock
this afternoon. The prayer was pro-
nounced by Dr. Joseph H. Twitcheil
of Hartford, Conn., Mark Twain's old
friend and pastor.

At 2:20 tomorrow morning the body
will leave for Elmira over the Lack-
awanna railroad.

In accordance with the wishes of
the family, the services today were
brief and simple. The only music
was an organ prelude, the "Death of
Ase" by Grieg. There was a modest
display of white lilies, lilies of the
valley, white and red roses, orchids
and sweet peas about the coffin.
Those who wished were permitted to
view the features. Invitations was by
card, but after the friends and the
family had been seated, the church
was well filled by the general pub-
lic. In all, the services took but half
an hour.

"The Man We Loved."
In his address, Dr. Van Dyke said
in part:

"This is not the place nor the
time for an eulogy of the famous
writer, the honored and representa-
tive American. Here we are all of us
simply human. The touch of grief
is upon us. We think of Mark Twain,
not as the celebrity, but as the man
whom we knew and loved.

"Those who knew his work as a
whole, know that under the lambent
and irrepressible humor which was
his gift, there was a foundation of
serious thought and noble affection
and desires. The mark of his high-
er humor is that it does not laugh
at the weak, the helpless, the true,
the innocent, only at the false, the
pretentious, the vain, the hypocrit-
ical."

Jean Clemens died on Christmas
eve while her Christmas tree stood in
the living room at Stormfield, fully
garnished and untouched. Her body
was sent to Elmira on Christmas
night. That was Mark Twain's last
Christmas.

The storms beat upon the daugh-
ter; the sun shone today upon the
father, insuborned.

The shining rosewood coffin stood
upon a baggage truck in the glaring
sunlight. On the cover was a silver
plate, "Hamel Langhorne Clemens,
Mark Twain, 1910."

Immortality His.
Above the plate lay a wreath of
mountain laurel emblem of immor-
tality, picked from the tamarack
hills.

The train began to draw out of
the station, and as it gathered way
a farmer on the platform said sob-
erly:

"There goes a man the country
knew as well as George Washing-
ton."

There was no sign that anybody at
succeeding stations through which
the train passed knew what burden
it carried. The family party occupied
a compartment. Old Katie, the house-
keeper, sat in a corner and wept si-
lently.

Among those who attended were:
Robert J. Collier, Peter F. Dunne
(Mr. Dooley), Robert Underwood
Johnson of the Century Magazine,
Prof. Brander Matthews, W. D. How-
ells, James Lane Allen, Carol Beck-
with, the painter; Dan Beard, the il-
lustrator; Robert Bridges, the poet;
E. S. Martin, the essayist; John H.
Finley, president of the college of the
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be in readiness for the opening to-
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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Smith Sells Furniture.

J. B. Gay went to Tulsa today.

A. J. Black went to Stonewall today.

R. B. Faunt Le Roy went to Francis today.

U. G. Winn has returned from Guthrie.

Clyde Roland went to Roff this morning.

Duke Stone went to Coalgate this morning.

Mrs. Joe Beck spent Sunday with Roff friends.

Miss Stella Rodgers returned to Roff Sunday.

Try our carmel nut sundaes. Ramsey Drug Co.

Miss Gertrude Case returned from Shawnee today.

List your real estate with the Weaver Agency.

Rev. Anderson returned from Konawa this morning.

Miss Adair returned to Holdenville this morning.

J. F. McKeel is transacting business at Stonewall.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Coon went to Wewoka this morning.

Mrs. F. R. Laird is the guest of Mrs. J. B. Barren today.

Mr. F. Threadgill of Coalgate spent Sunday with Ada friends.

Mrs. Pearl McGurran returned from Oklahoma City this morning.

H. R. Mayrees, Frisco cashier, is on the sick list today and confined to his room.

Miss Cora Donaldson who has been visiting friends in Ada, returned to Carneville today.

Frank Jones will loan money on farm lands, city property and real estate notes. Quick service.

Rev. C. E. Smootz came in from Claremore this morning for a few days visit with his family.

Miss Jennie Boucher has returned to Ardmore after a pleasant visit with her sister Mrs. Brawley.

Miss Corrine Katz returned from Oklahoma City this morning after a pleasant visit with Rita Harris.

Mrs. Kate Monger who has been visiting T. B. Kile and family returned to her home in Whitesboro this morning.

The intelligent, progressive spirit of Ada will certainly not fail to arrange for the Chautauqua. Be at the City Hall tonight.

Walsh has received a slicer for breakfast bacon and dried beef, which will save almost half your meat bill. Let him prove the statement.

Miss Gertrude Thompson, Sponser for Chickasaw Brigade and Miss Katherine Edmonston, maid of honor, left for Mobile, Ala., to attend the annual Confederate reunion.

Just Received.

A few beautiful pattern hats and up-to-date shapes at the Model Millinery Parlor. Remember this stock of millinery is going at very reduced prices. South Broadway.

Meet Me at Corn's Soda Fountain

We have one of the most up-to-date Soda Fountains in the State. Come in and try some of our dispensers' Fancy Drinks. Everything clean and sanitary. Full line of Smoking and Chewing Tobacco and Cigars. Our Pool and Billiard Tables are all new and level.

Base-Ball News.—We have arranged for the news of the Texas League by innings, which will be posted on the wall in plain figures, so everyone can tell just how they stand at the end of each inning.

OLD MISSION BILLIARD PARLOR

B. J. CORN, Proprietor

Come to the City Hall tonight—

Stall, the photographer, phone 176.

Frank Smith spent Sunday at Roff.

Mrs. L. C. Baker spent Sunday at Roff.

Mrs. Kennedy returned from Roff Sunday.

Horace Pehy visited friends at Roff Sunday.

Miss Alley Hughey visited friends at Roff Sunday.

C. E. Wingo is visiting in different parts of Texas.

Prescriptions Properly Prepared. The G. M. C. Way.

Mr. and Mrs. Gotcher spent Sunday with Roff friends.

Mrs. O. W. Morgan visited friends at Roff last week.

Misses Eunice and Mazelle Ganey spent Sunday at Roff.

Let the Commercial Club push the Chautauqua movement.

Miss Sallie McCain spent Sunday with her sister at Fitzhugh.

J. W. Gay was called to McAlester today on account of the illness of his brother.

Miss Daisy Whipple was the guest of her sister, Miss Laura, Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Nell Reese and Margarite McKay visited Miss Dunscomb at Roff yesterday.

Mrs. J. E. Harris who has been visiting relatives here, returned to Madill yesterday.

Miss Lucile Leslie who has been visiting Miss Gertrude Thompson returned to her home in Sherman, Tex.

Brother Dings of Stratford, on his return from his Tennessee home stayed over night with his friend, Justice Brown.

Mr. Calhoun of Sparks of Shawnee is here to relieve Mr. Wingo while he is away on a few days' vacation.

Shall Ada have a Chautauqua in connection with the Summer Normal? If you say Yes—be at the City Hall tonight.

Miss Lucile Leslie, who has been visiting Geo. Thompson and family returned to her home in Sherman yesterday.

E. C. Eckman left on yesterday to Mobile, Ala., and thence to Jacksonville, Fla., his old home, for a visit of ten days duration.

The Ladies of the City are invited to attend the mass meeting tonight at the City Hall to have a voice in the Chautauqua movement.

Mrs. W. D. Bryant, of Conway, Ark., has arrived to visit her daughter, Mrs. F. R. Nixon, who has been quite sick. Mrs. Nixon is much improved today.

It is regretted that Miss Alene Shands, who was chosen one of the two maids of honor to the Confederate Reunion at Mobile, has been quite sick for several days and was not able to leave with the party yesterday.

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Attractions for Summer Chautauqua
The following attractions are being offered to us for the Summer Chautauqua. Otterbein Male Quartette, Ex-Governor H. A. Buchtell of Colorado. The Schultz-Leigh Concert Co., Walter Howe, the noted Humorist, Everett Kemp, Reader, Dr. Homer T. Wilson, the Mropehests, The Hungarian Orchestra, Paul V. Voelker, Columbian Orchestra, Col. G. A. Gearheart, The DeKoven Male Quartette and Hon. I. M. Holcomb.
This list presents a very fine array of talent and a most excellent and varied program. It offers a season of high-class entertainments that we cannot afford to allow other cities to have when we are as well able to provide the same in our own city.

CITY HALL TONIGHT
Chautauqua—Everybody who is interested at all in the rebuilding of Ada is requested to attend the Mass Meeting at the City Hall tonight. The conditions on which our city may secure a Chautauqua for this summer will be explained and discussed. No collection is to be taken. The schools, the churches, the clubs, the lodges, professional, commercial, and industrial interests are vitally concerned in this movement. Come. Let the laborers and the merchants, the physicians and the lawyers, the clerks and the bankers and everybody come.

SHERIFFS MEET TODAY
Business of Importance to be attended to.
The Oklahoma Sheriffs' Association meets in Oklahoma City today at the Lee-Huckeins Hotel. Business of importance will be attended to, and a large gathering is expected. The chief of police of the various cities have also been invited, and several of these are expected. Sheriff Geo. Noble of LeFlore is president of the association, and Sheriff Frank Carter of Tillman, secretary. Arrangements for the accommodation of the visitors are being made by Sheriff M. C. Binion of this county.

Oil Well to be Shot Tomorrow.
Preparations for shooting the oil well are being made. The man who will make the shot, and the nitroglycerine will be here on tomorrow morning. The shot will be at the depth where oil was struck. Many are looking for a gusher, so look out, she's coming.

In Justice Court.
Jesse Blocker was tried under Justice Nettles Saturday for disturbing the peace. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty.
It is reported that during the trial a warrant was sworn out against him charging him with pistol toting.

MURRAY SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE CORNER STONE LAID

Greatest Success of any Event in the History of Tishomingo—Large Crowds Attend.

Tishomingo, Okla., April 23.—The laying of the cornerstone of the Murray state school of agriculture was the greatest success of any event in the history of Tishomingo. The day was a beautiful one and practically all the citizens as well as farmers from the county around had gathered to witness the ceremonies.

The procession formed on Main street, and was led by the Tishomingo band. Next came the Masons, followed by the public school children, and pupils of the Murray state school. Then came the state board of agriculture, followed by the civic authorities, and citizens and farmers.

When the procession had reached the campus, the cornerstone was laid under the ancient Masonic ritual. H. L. Muldow superintended the ceremonies, acting as deputy for Grand Master George Ruddell.

President J. A. Wilson made the first talk, giving a brief outline of the program for the day, and introduced B. C. Pittuck, dean of the agricultural schools of the state. Mr. Pittuck spoke about ten minutes along the lines of agricultural education.

Judge J. P. Connors, chairman of the state board of agriculture, entertained the crowd for a short time and introduced Colonel Miller, of Louisville, Ky., who spoke eloquently for Oklahoma. E. D. Cameron state superintendent of education, was the next speaker and concluded his talk with a glowing tribute to W. H. Murray. Murray followed him, and spoke on the need of agricultural education. He made no allusion to his candidacy for governor.

After the speeches the audience repaired to the building used as temporary quarters for the school, and were served with a lunch by the domestic science department of that institution.

LAKE CHARLES, LA., SWEPT BY FIRE

5000 Persons Homeless and Several Missing—Scores Injured—Loss \$4,000,000.

Lake Charles, La., April 23.—Fire swept through the residence and business sections of this city Saturday doing property damage to the extent of \$4,000,000. Tonight 5,000 persons are homeless, several are missing and scores are injured.

The fire which started in the old opera house near the center of town wiped out more than 30 business blocks and then burned a path through the residence section. The flames were finally checked late in the evening by the use of dynamite, with which big breaches were made in the path of the flames, but not until the town had been practically wiped out.

The cause of the conflagration has not been ascertained. It is impossible to tell late tonight whether any of the missing have been killed and their bodies burned.

Temporary camps have been established on the outskirts of the city and thousands of homeless and injured are being cared for as well as possible. The suffering of the refugees is intense on account of the sudden drop in temperature.

The fire departments of Jennings, La., Alexandria, La., Orange and Beaumont, Tex., are here and assisting in getting the fire under control.

Lake Charles is practically a new city of 20,000 inhabitants. It is a big rice, lumber and oil center and the biggest town in southwest Louisiana.

A high wind carried the flames from the old opera house, where the fire started, and soon the Catholic church and convent nearby was ablaze. Two hundred children were rushed out of the convent safely.

The courthouse and city hall, both new structures, were among the buildings destroyed.

Much of the property destroyed was not insured to its full value, and the individual losses will be heavy. Heavy losses were also caused by the destruction of old records and priceless French heirlooms.

Appeals for aid have been sent to the mayor of New Orleans, Governor Sanderson and the war department. Arrangements are being made to send a train load of supplies from New Orleans.

Kansas Town Suffers From Fire.

Cottonwood Falls, Kas., April 23.—A large part of the business section of Clements, a small town sixteen miles west of here, was burned Saturday afternoon. Fire starting in a general merchandise store and fanned by a high wind, burned five business buildings and several dwellings. The loss is estimated at \$75,000. The cause of the fire is unknown.

Paducah Suffers by Fire.

Paducah, Tex., April 23.—Fire, fanned by a strong north wind, completely destroyed the principal business block of the town. The estimated damage is about \$46,000. The origin of the fire is a mystery.

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JURY STILL MISSING; DISTRACTED BY SOCIALIST

One of the Singular Happenings Incident to Political Enthusiasm.

(Contributed)

A liberal reward for a lost jury, the amount to be charged to the socialist political party.

On Saturday there was a civil suit in court. After the case was argued it was handed to a jury of 6 good and lawful men. During their deliberations over the points of justice, a socialist speaker made his appearance in an adjoining room and the comrades began to file in in rapid succession until a respectable audience had assembled. The speaker began to pour into the auricles of his comrades his plans of dividing up. He grew loud and vociferous in his expostulations. The bailiff of this said jury was seated in the hallway discharging his legal duties by guarding the entrance to the said jury room, but being one of Adam's race who has had to toil for existence and subsistence, it is not surprising that he should become interested in the discussion and the plans of dividing up.

The speaker so attracted this humble bailiff, in his denunciations of the two old parties in explaining how the political machinery was continually grinding for the capitalist, making the rich richer and the poor poorer, until he became as if even hypnotized, and left his post to draw nearer, that he might be present and get into the divide up.

The jury who were men that were pretty well fixed financially had become attracted and excited by the dividing up proposition and finding themselves unguarded made a rush for home to protect their property, and the poor humble bailiff has been on the hunt continuously since the deplorable event, for his jury.

Any information leading to their recovery will be graciously received.

Teachers Meeting Saturday

The Pontotoc County Teachers Association met at the South side school building on Saturday evening to carry out the unfinished part of the February program.

Representatives from Roff, Francis and other parts of the county were in attendance. The city school and the normal were also represented.

Those present report a delightful as well as decidedly profitable afternoon with a well rendered program.

DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY Will Surely Stop That Cough.

NEGRO BREAKS JAIL; USES MONKEY-WRENCH

Is Now at Large—\$50 Reward Offered for His Apprehension—An Accomplish.

One negro buck, J. P. Lewis by name, broke jail here at some time on Saturday night. He used a monkey wrench to twist the taps off the staples that held the jail door, and has made good his escape. The instrument by means of which he effected his release was supposed to have been given him by a certain Buckheart who was serving sentence for selling whiskey and was working his allotted time on the county road.

Lewis is about five feet nine inches in height, snuff colored, and weighs about one hundred and forty-five pounds.

There is no clue as to where the coon hit the tall timber or where he is hiding. However the officers are thinking he will be apprehended on no distant day. He is worth fifty dollars to the man who captures him.

Justice Brown Up Again.

Justice Brown is back in his office today after a severe attack of nettle rash which has lasted several days. His face, lips and hands were badly swollen. Altogether he was quite sick.

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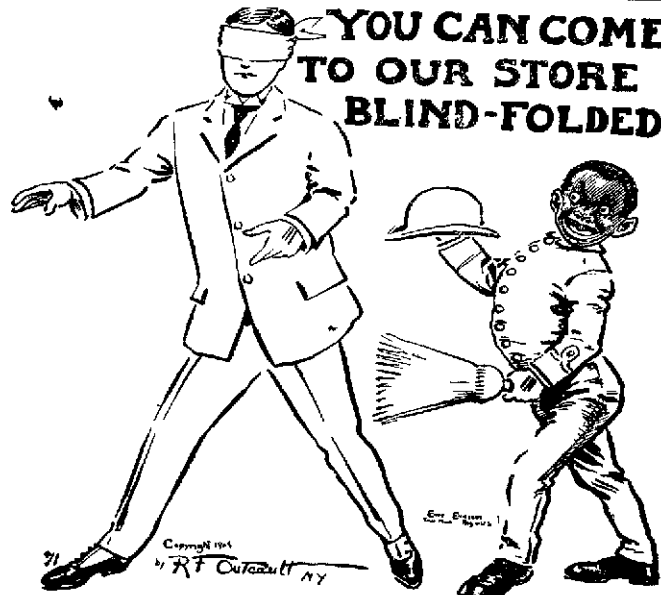
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HORRIBLE TRAGEDY; MURDERS HIS WIFE; ATTEMPTS SUICIDE

ALLEN, OKLA., SHOCKED AND
FRENZIED BY UWFUL CRIME
OF ONE OF HER CITIZENS

MOB VIOLENCE ONCE FEARED

But All Is Quiet, Waiting the End
of Man Who Was So Des-
perate—Sure to Die

One of the most blood curdling, heart chilling crimes in the history of Pontotoc County, occurred yesterday at the town of Allen. While we are unable to obtain full particulars, we are certain one woman is dead and her husband is dying.

A Mr. Prentiss, a farmer, living near Allen became engaged in a quarrel with his wife, whereupon the wife threatened separation and made a dash for liberty. Prentiss, who doubtless had threatened his wife with violence, followed her, as is alleged, about fifty yards down the street with a shotgun and fired, shooting her through the heart and killing her instantly. The break for liberty, the running for life availed the frightened woman nothing. She paid the death penalty for a family altercation. Murdered by the man who was her sworn protector.

The Chase and Capture.
Prentiss, realizing the enormity of his crime and fearing justice made a desperate attempt to evade capture by the citizens and officer Drake who were rushing to the scene of the tragedy, by running first across an open field and then up a small creek. Here his mad flight was intercepted by the still growing crowd of pursuers consequently he turned to ward the city but finding all hope of escape again cut off rather than be caught alive he turned the remaining load of the shotgun upon himself with fatal effect.

Prentiss, while wounding himself fatally did not die, and deputy W. W. Drake and others, fearing mob violence called to Ada for help. Sheriff Smith being gone to Oklahoma City Bill Adair and Lem Mitchell responded to the call.

At the last report from Allen we learn that the wounded man is near death's door and all hostile demonstrations against him have ceased.

Later:
Since writing the above the News called up officer Drake at Allen and learned if he were correctly understood that Prentiss initials are H. J. and that his wife leaves one child about three or four years of age. Both Mr. and Mrs. Prentiss were well respected at Allen, and the supposition is that he killed his wife while in a fit of jealousy, since the two had been getting along badly for some time.

While public sentiment is strongly against Prentiss at present no one can properly place the blame, for no one outside the man and his wife have any connection with the tragedy.

It is further learned that Prentiss, after shooting his wife, went first into his home to procure ammunition but finding none went about a mile to a neighbors and told the neighbor he wanted a load for the gun to shoot a squirrel with. The man readily gave Prentiss the coveted load. Upon receiving the ammunition, he retraced his steps to Allen and told Bob Black of that place of his intended suicide. Black prevailed upon the frightened man not to do himself bodily harm and made a move to approach and seize the gun. It was then Prentiss retreated and being followed by citizens and officer Drake, shot himself.

As we go to press Mrs. Prentiss is on the way to "silent city of the dead," mourned by her child, family and friends. She was killed about four o'clock yesterday afternoon, or twenty-four hours ago.

Attorney Wimbish, Bill Adair and Lem Mitchell are now at the scene of the crime.

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BLIZZARD SWEEPS NORTHERN STATES

Heavy Snows, Great Crop Damage
With \$75,000,000 Losses—Steamers
Missing on Great Lakes.

Chicago, April 24—Twenty-four hours of blizzard sweeping over fifteen states, the great lakes and part of Canada has caused a probable loss to fruit, vegetables and grain crops of \$75,000,000.

Resulted in stranding one steamer and imperiling of fifty others two of which are reported missing.

Spread all territory north of the Mason and Dixon line with from 3 to 24 inches of snow.

Impeded steam railroad, lake and electric transportation.

Coming as it does with millions of acres of fruit trees in blossom, spring wheat and vegetables sprouting, the storm is nothing less than calamitous. In Minnesota, North Dakota and South Dakota much grain will have to be re-seeded.

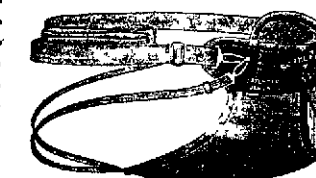
Shipping on the great lakes, where waves are running mountain high, forcing steamers from their courses and in some instances throwing them upon unfriendly beaches suffered immense damage.

The Goodrich transportation line passenger and freight steamer Iowa, succumbing to a furious gale, fell from its course and was rammed ashore four miles south of Racine. Thrilling rescues of frightened passengers were accomplished by the Racine and Kenosha life saving crews.

Train service over the entire north-west and in the Mississippi valley was delayed and one wreck and a number of narrow escapes from serious accidents were reported.

Temperatures throughout the northern states and as far south as Missouri, ranged from 20 to 32. There is no relief in sight for tomorrow, forecasts indicating a continuance of cold and wind.

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candidates for public office subject to
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name and reputation of the man for
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- For Constable, Ada Precinct
E. L. BUNCH

PAID AND UNDER-PAID.

Brains Seems to Be at a Discount
in Wage-Earning.
Guthrie, Okla. April 23.—The av-
erage Oklahoma wage earner has 31
persons in his family, receives
\$668.50 in wages annually, spends
\$240.99 of this for food, or 36 per
cent of his total income, his annual
cost of living, including food, fuel,
clothing, sickness and rent, is \$473.20.
His savings are unknown. The av-
erage daily cost of food for each mem-
ber of his family is 21 cents.
This average has been ascertained
by Labor Commissioner C. L. Daugh-
erty, after an exhaustive census of
223 wage earners, of 27 vocations,
including brick layers, school teach-

ers, retail clerks, conductors, miners,
machinists, printers, etc.
Of the 223 wage earners who sub-
mitted their vital statistics, however,
about half earned less than the an-
nual average; 49 earned over \$1,000,
24 between \$900 and \$1,000, 21 be-
tween \$800 and \$900; 27, between
\$700 and \$800, 28, between \$600 and
\$700, 30, between \$500 and \$600; 30
between \$400 and \$500, 12, between
\$300 and \$400.
Conductors seem to earn the most
annually of any of the vocations,
those reporting, having an annual
earning of \$1,448, printers are also
well paid, receiving \$1,311, railroad
engineers averaged \$1,302, the ubi-
quitous plumber averaged \$1,146,
firemen, printing pressmen, electric-
ians, boiler makers and machinists
all average about the same, between
\$1,005 and \$1,080 annually.
The intellectual school teacher
must undoubtedly feel that brains are
at a discount. Twenty-seven teach-
ers employed in state institutions,
averaged \$780 in earnings, 41 first
grade teachers averaged \$677, 24
second grade teachers averaged \$527,
14 third grade teachers averaged
\$470 annually.
The retail clerks averaged \$658,
barbers, \$308, painters, \$365, car-
penters, \$349, brakemen, \$360, mis-
cellaneous occupations, \$337. Even
the lowly hod carrier averages \$589
annually, or considerably more than
second and third grade school teach-
ers.

ROOSEVELT POPULAR
WITH THE FRENCH
Delighted With His Reception, Cheer-
ed by Thousands of Intellectual
Frenchmen.
(By A. J. Lambert)

Paris, April 23.—Three thousand
people, filling the Sorbonne, men, and
women, the latter two many of whom
heavily jeweled, rose en masse and
chanted Colonel Roosevelt for five
solid minutes at the conclusion of
his address on "Citizenship in a Re-
public."
The colonel was delighted with the
method of his reception, and after
he had been presented mistakenly with
a bust of Jefferson Davis where
one of Lincoln had been intended,
also two Sevres vases, he said to me
that he was more than pleased over
the enthusiasm with which his re-
marks were received. The address
was delivered in English save the
introductory remarks, which were
made in French. To the vice-rector
M. Liard, who came out of a sick
bed to attend the function, the ad-
dress was particularly strenuous.
Now and then Mr. Roosevelt inter-
polated a few additional ad vigorous
passages in French particularly the
interpolation regarding the monied
interests, which he not only spoke
in English, but repeated in French,
as being the creed of his views.
He took all of the classes of citi-
zens whom he views as "undesir-
ables" down the line, and as he scored
the millionaires it was amusing to
witness the expression of Mrs. W.
K. Vanderbilt wearing her wonder-
ful black costume with diamond orna-
ments in her hair and a huge black
hat.
As the colonel scored each point
he would stick his protruding jaw
fighting forward and banged out
his emphasis with a copy of his
speech. Then the audience would let
forth a thunderous applause.
He spoke for over an hour and a
half, his voice, save for these jocular
interjections of French, main-
taining its even monotony and never
breaking but once during the whole
delivery.
There was particularly vociferous
applause when he said the French
the lesson of their duty in having
children, denouncing those married
couples who are purposely barren in
the strongest terms and prophesying
the terrible fate which they are bring-
ing on themselves.
He was very characteristic when
he told of an anecdote of his west-
ern experience. A cow puncher
started to brand a Maverick with the
Colonel's brand instead of the range
brand. The Colonel told the cow
puncher not to do it.
"Why?" exclaimed the astonished
cow puncher.
"Because," said the Colonel, "if
you will steal from me you will very
likely steal from me."
The whole scene was particularly
brilliant and remarkable and ended
with a demonstration wherein the
faculty, society men and women, and
boy and girl students equally joined.
Colonel Roosevelt dined at the Sor-
bonne and afterwards attended a re-
ception at the famous university.
Curiously enough the invitations to
all the Sorbonne functions were is-
sued for M. Le President Roose-
velt.
Farms Loans See Carlton Weaver

PROHIBITION
ENFORCEMENT
ATTORNEY LAUGHBAUM OF THE
ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE
SPEAKS
ADDRESSES TWO AUDIENCES

Argument for Continuation of Pro-
hibition Unanswerable.

Judge Laughbaum, attorney for the
Oklahoma Anti-Saloon League, and
special counsel to the Governor, ad-
dressed a good sized audience, in his
afternoon at the Christian church,
and at the Methodist church in the
evening. Among many good things the
speaker said
It was my privilege, standing in
the opera house at Grand Rapids,
Mich., Sunday afternoon, the 15th
day of December, to address a mass
meeting of men. There on the stage,
with the beautiful large silk U S
flag, in my opening remarks I was
extolling the virtues of the state of
Oklahoma. I spoke of the sweetness
of our women and the gallantry of
our men, and then stepping over to
the flag, I took hold of it with my
hand, and stretching it out across
the stage, I said "and best of all,
where the church of the Lord and
Savior, Jesus Christ, plucked a pure
white star, the 46th state, to rep-
resent the new state of Oklahoma and
planted it in Old Glory, and entered
a pledge on that day that so long as
that flag, with that star, floats over
Oklahoma, it shall never float legal-
ized licensed saloons."
So I am here tonight to defend the
old flag, and I feel deeply and keenly
the individual responsibility resting
on me to keep that star pure and
white, and I hope that I may be
able to shoulder upon each one of
you some of that responsibility.
There is another reason of more
importance, however, for which I feel
more deeply and more keenly the
individual responsibility resting up-
on me at this hour, for we are now
standing upon virgin soil; soil that
has never known a legalized licen-
sated saloon since the beginning of
the world and that shall never know
a legalized licensed saloon so long as
time shall last, unless the church of
Oklahoma takes a backward step.
Twenty-three millions of people
live south of the Mason and Dixon
line, and twenty-one millions of us
are living in prohibition territory.
Some people say that prohibition
does not prohibit and that there is
more liquor sold and drunk in a pro-
hibition state than where they have
saloons. Some one once made such
a statement to Sam P. Jones and he
replied by asking the party if the
liquor men did not sell all they
could when we had licensed saloons.
The party answered that they did
and Sam Jones replied by saying
"You fool, you, then can they sell
more than they can when the saloons
are closed?" Go with me to Okla-
homa City and we will go up North
Broadway to third street and turning
down Third street as far as the Santa
Fe railroad track and there we can
stand and look at a monument six
stories high, built of stone and brick,
pointing silently vacant into the
heavens, today, and pointing out to
all mankind in Oklahoma that in Ok-
lahoma prohibition does prohibit, and
that monument is the New State
Brewery. Now, let the federal gov-
ernment amend the interstate laws
and the postal laws so that when
Schlitz, Pabst, Schmidt, Helms, An-
heuser-Busch send their nefarious
product into Oklahoma, we can secure
a requisition from our government
upon the government of their states
and bring these men down into Ok-
lahoma and work them upon our
public highways along with the boot-
legger that bootlegs their product.
The Anti-Saloon League is making
a campaign this year from Maine to
California and from Washington to
Florida and to each congressional
district for the purpose of electing
congressmen that will support an
amendment to the interstate com-
merce laws so that the brewers and
distillers of other states cannot ship
their product into prohibition states.
Let's make this our fight in Oklahoma
in each and every congressional dis-
trict and see to it that men running
for congress stand in favor of the
amendment of the interstate com-
merce law.
The saloon element told us during
the campaign for state-wide prohibi-
tion that if we closed up the saloons
it would kill our cities and towns,
that grass would grow upon the
streets. Fearing that the saloon ele-
ment was telling us the truth, we
got busy in Oklahoma City paving
our streets, and now have near 60

miles of asphalt paved streets, and
Ada is paving many blocks of her
streets, and we are sure that grass
will not grow in these streets. The
bank deposits each year since state-
hood have increased from one to two
millions of dollars. The individual
bank deposits in the state for the
first two years of statehood increased
over six millions of dollars. Eighteen
cities and towns in Oklahoma that
did not have a single foot of paved
streets when we had the saloons,
are now paving the streets. Thirty-
five hundred new school houses have
been built since statehood. Oklahoma
is more prosperous than ever and I
take it that our people will not take
a backward step and that they will
see to it that the star in Old Glory
remains pure and white and that the
soil in the Indian Territory part of
our state remains virgin soil and
never becomes polluted by the legal-
ized licensed saloon.
In order to continue this prosperity
in Oklahoma and keep the star pure
and white in Old Glory and the soil
in the Indian country virgin, we
must enforce our law.

FROM TEXAS TO MOBILE
MARCH STARTED YESTERDAY

The Heaviest Move of Texans to Mo-
bile in Years—Many Specials
Are Run.

Dallas, Tex. April 24.—Confeder-
ate veterans of Texas will depart to-
day for the annual reunion at Mo-
bile. Veterans from the West and
Norwest will go to Fort Worth on
regular trains, and there take a special
to be run by the Texas and
Pacific. Gen. K. M. Van Zandt, com-
mander of the Texas division, and his
staff and the veterans of Camp Robert
E. Lee, will be aboard of "the
special," which will stop at Dallas
for Gen. W. L. Cabel, commander
of the Trans-Mississippi Department,
and his staff.
The train will leave the Dallas city
depot at 11 10 a. m. Veterans will
be picked up at all the stations en
route. Veterans from points north of
the Texas and Pacific will join the
party at Marshall, from which point
the train will be run in two sec-
tions.
The two sections will consist of
twenty cars—one baggage car, one
lunch car, four coaches, three chair
cars, eleven tourists' cars, and four
standard sleepers in addition to the
special, the Texas and Pacific will
place extra equipment on all regular
trains. The Tyler and Wills Point
bands will furnish music for the
trip.
The Texas and Pacific railroad pro-
vided a special car for the inmates
of the Soldiers' Home at Austin. The
party left Austin last night over the
International and Great Northern.
Their coach will be attached to the
special at Longview today.
C. P. Fegan of the passenger de-
partment of the Texas and Pacific
railroad said yesterday that the in-
dications were that this would be the
heaviest movement of veterans from
Texas in many years that his infor-
mation was that there would be large
delegations from Amarillo, Quanah,
Vernon, and other points on the Fort
Worth and Denver, also from Sweet-
water, Colorado, Abilene and Weather-
ford in the West, and San Angelo,
Brownwood, Comanche and Stephen-
ville on the Fort Worth and Rio
Grande. Larger delegations will rep-
resent Clarksville, Paris, Mount Ver-
non, Mount Pleasant and other points
in Northeast Texas. J. A. Chilton,
traveling passenger agent of the Tex-
as and Pacific railroad, will accom-
pany the excursionists to Mobile and
arrange for their return.
The members of Camp Sterling
Price will meet at headquarters just
before train time and proceed to the
station in a body to see the dele-
gates leave.
Gen. Cabel will go and reserva-
tions have been made for the follow-
ing members of his staff: Gen. Milton
Park, Gen. R. M. Gano, Major B. S.
Wathen, Col. H. W. Graber, Col. Sam-
uel Mendez, and Major Thomas H.
Kingsley.
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SENTATIVE HUMORIST STILL-
ED IN SWEET RELEASE,
BESTS IN GOD'S ACRE.
SERVICES MODEST AND SHORT

Many Crowded the Church to Take a
Last Look at the Man Who Was
Known as Well as Washing-
ton.

New York, April 23.—The body of
Mark Twain began today its last
journey from the sunny chamber
where it had lain in Stormfield to the
spot in God's Acre, where it shall
rest at last beside those whom he
loved long since and lost a while.
Funeral services were said in the
old brick Presbyterian church at
Fifth avenue and Thirty-seventh
street, this city, by Dr. Henry A. Van
Dyke, professor of English literature
at Princeton university at 3 o'clock
this afternoon. The prayer was pro-
nounced by Dr. Joseph H. Twichell
of Hartford, Conn., Mark Twain's old
friend and pastor.
At 2 20 tomorrow morning the body
will leave for Elmira over the Lack-
awanna railroad.
In accordance with the wishes of
the family, the services today were
brief and simple. The only music
was an organ prelude, the "Death of
Ase" by Grieg. There was a modest
display of white lilies, lilies of the
valley, white and red roses, orchids
and sweet peas about the coffin.
Those who wished were permitted to
view the features. Invitations were by
card, but after the friends and the
family had been seated, the church
was well filled by the general public.
In all, the services took but half
an hour.
"The Man We Loved."
In his address, Dr. Van Dyke said
in part:
"This is not the place nor the
time for an eulogy of the famous
writer, the honored and representa-
tive American. Here we are all of us
simply human. The touch of grief
is upon us. We think of Mark Twain,
not as the celebrity, but as the man
whom we knew and loved.
"Those who knew his work as a
whole know that under the lambent
and irrepressible humor which was
his gift there was a foundation of
serious thought and noble affection
and desires. The mark of his high-
er humor is that it does not laugh
at the weak the helpless, the true
the innocent only at the false the
pretentious, the vain the hypercriti-
cal."
Jean Clemens died on Christmas
eve while her Christmas tree stood
in the living room at Stormfield fully
garnished and untouched. Her body
was sent to Elmira on Christmas
night. That was Mark Twain's last
Christmas.
The storms beat upon the daugh-
ter the sun shone today upon the
father, inscribed.
The shining rosewood coffin stood
upon a baggage truck in the glaring
sunlight. On the cover was a silver
plate, "Hannibal Langhorne Clemens
Mark Twain, 1810."
Immortality His.
Above the plate lay a wreath of
mountain laurel emblem of immor-
tality picked from the tamarack
hills.
The train began to draw out of
the station, and as it gathered way
a farmer on the platform said sob-
erly
"There goes a man the country
knew as well as George Washing-
ton."
"There was no sign that anybody at
succeeding stations through which
the train passed knew what burden
it carried. The family party occupied
a compartment. Old Katie, the house-
keeper, sat in a corner and wept si-
lently.
Among those who attended were
"Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Carnegie,
Robert J. Collier, Peter F. Dunne
(Mr. Dooley), Robert Underwood
Johnson of the Century Magazine,
Prof. Brander Matthews, W. D. How-
ells, James Lane Allen, Carol Beck-
with, the painter, Dan Beard, the il-
lustrator, Robert Bridges, the poet,
E. S. Martin, the essayist, John H.
Finley, president of the college of the
City of New York, H. H. Rogers, Jr.
James Choate, Col. D. P. Appleton,
W. P. Wentworth Higginson and
many authors and members of the
Players' Club.
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Wanted a white woman to do gen-
eral house work for family of two
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bles, Stratford, Okla. dsl

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jurious to health found in food
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The Lachman Shows
Arrived Sunday evening from Sul-
phur and will exhibit on Roney all
this week for the benefit of the Fire
Department. They have been busy all
day erecting the different tents and
attractions and nearly everything will
be in readiness for the opening to-
night.

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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Smith Sells Furniture. dtf

J. B. Gay went to Tulsa today.

A. J. Black went to Stonewall today.

R. B. Faunt Le Roy went to Francis today.

U. G. Winn has returned from Guthrie.

Clyde Roland went to Roff this morning.

Duke Stone went to Coalgate this morning.

Mrs. Joe Beck spent Sunday with Roff friends.

Miss Stella Rodgers returned to Roff Sunday.

Try our carmel nut sundaes. Ramsey Drug Co.

Miss Gertrude Case returned from Shawnee today.

List your real estate with the Weaver Agency.

Rev. Anderson returned from Konawa this morning.

Miss Adair returned to Holdenville this morning.

J. F. McKeel is transacting business at Stonewall.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Coon went to Wewoka this morning.

Mrs. F. R. Laird is the guest of Mrs. J. B. Barren today.

Mr. F. Threadgill of Coalgate spent Sunday with Ada friends.

Mrs. Pearl McGurran returned from Oklahoma City this morning.

H. R. Mayrees, Frisco cashier, is on the sick list today and confined to his room.

Miss Cora Donaldson who has been visiting friends in Ada, returned to Carneville today.

Frank Jones will loan money on farm lands, city property and real estate notes. Quick service.

Rev. C. E. Smootz came in from Claremore this morning for a few days visit with his family.

Miss Jennie Boucher has returned to Ardmore after a pleasant visit with her sister Mrs. Brawley.

Miss Corrine Katz returned from Oklahoma City this morning after a pleasant visit with Rita Harris.

Mrs. Kate Monger who has been visiting T. B. Kille and family returned to her home in Whitesboro this morning.

The intelligent, progressive spirit of Ada will certainly not fail to arrange for the Chautauqua. Be at the City Hall tonight.

Walsh has received a slicer for breakfast bacon and dried beef, which will save almost half your meat bill. Let him prove the statement.

Miss Gertrude Thompson, Sponsor for Chickasaw Brigade and Miss Katherine Edmonston, maid of honor, left for Mobile, Ala., to attend the annual Confederate reunion.

Come to the City Hall tonight—
Stall, the photographer, phone 176.

Frank Smith spent Sunday at Roff.

Mrs. L. C. Baker spent Sunday at Roff.

Mrs. Kennedy returned from Roff Sunday.

Horace Pehy visited friends at Roff Sunday.

Miss Alley Hughey visited friends at Roff Sunday.

C. E. Wingo is visiting in different parts of Texas.

Prescriptions Properly Prepared.
The G. M. C. Way. 10t

Mr. and Mrs. Gotcher spent Sunday with Roff friends.

Mrs. O. W. Morgan visited friends at Roff last week.

Misses Eubie and Mazelle Ganey spent Sunday at Roff.

Let the Commercial Club push the Chautauqua movement.

Miss Sallie McCain spent Sunday with her sister at Fitzhugh.

J. W. Gay was called to McAlester today on account of the illness of his brother.

Miss Daisy Whipple was the guest of her sister, Miss Laura, Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Nell Reese and Marguerite McKay visited Miss Dunscomb at Roff yesterday.

Mrs. J. E. Harris who has been visiting relatives here, returned to Madill yesterday.

Miss Lucile Leslie who has been visiting Miss Gertrude Thompson returned to her home in Sherman, Tex.

Brother Dings of Stratford, on his return from his Tennessee home stayed over night with his friend, Justice Brown.

Mr. Calhoun of Sparks of Shawnee is here to relieve Mr. Wingo while he is away on a few days' vacation.

Shall Ada have a Chautauqua in connection with the Summer Normal? If you say Yes—be at the City Hall tonight.

Miss Lucile Leslie, who has been visiting Geo. Thompson and family returned to her home in Sherman yesterday.

E. C. Eckman left on yesterday to Mobile, Ala., and thence to Jacksonville, Fla., his old home, for a visit of ten days duration.

The Ladies of the City are invited to attend the mass meeting tonight at the City Hall to have a voice in the Chautauqua movement.

Mrs. W. D. Bryant, of Conway, Ark., has arrived to visit her daughter, Mrs. F. R. Nixon, who has been quite sick. Mrs. Nixon is much improved today.

It is regretted that Miss Alene Shands, who was chosen one of the two maids of honor to the Confederate Reunion at Mobile, has been quite sick for several days and was not able to leave with the party yesterday.

Just Received.
A few beautiful pattern hats and up-to-date shapes at the Model Millinery Parlor. Remember this stock of millinery is going at very reduced prices. South Broadway. dtf

The following attractions are being offered to the people of the Summer Chautauqua: Otterbein Male Quartette. Ex-Governor H. A. Buchtoll of Colorado. The Schultz-Leigh Concert Co., Walter Howe, the noted Humorist, Everett Kemp, Reader, Dr. Homer F. Wilson, the Mropeheasts. The Hungarian Orchestra, Paul V. Voelker, Columbian Orchestra, Col. G. A. Gearheart, The DeKoven Male Quartette and Hon. I. M. Holcomb.

This list presents a very fine array of talent and a most excellent and varied program. It offers a season of high-class entertainments that we cannot afford to allow other cities to have when we are as well able to provide the same in our own city.

CITY HALL TONIGHT
Chautauqua—Everybody who is interested in all in the rebuilding of Ada is requested to attend the Mass Meeting at the City Hall tonight. The conditions on which our city may secure a Chautauqua for this summer will be explained and discussed. No collection is to be taken. The schools, the churches, the clubs, the lodges, professional, commercial, and industrial interests are vitally concerned in this movement. Come. Let the laborers and the merchants, the physicians and the lawyers, the clerks and the bankers and everybody come.

SHERIFFS MEET TODAY
Business of Importance to be attended to.

The Oklahoma Sheriffs' Association meets in Oklahoma City today at the Lee-Huckelns Hotel. Business of importance will be attended to, and a large gathering is expected. The chief of police of the various cities have also been invited, and several of these are expected. Sheriff Geo. Noble of LeFlore is president of the Association, and Sheriff Frank Carter of Tillman, secretary. Arrangements for the accommodation of the visitors are being made by Sheriff M. C. Blanton of this county.

Oil Well to be Shot Tomorrow.
Preparations for shooting the oil well are being made. The man who will make the shot, and the nitroglycerine will be here on tomorrow morning. The shot will be at the depth where oil was struck. Many are looking for a gusher, so look out, she's coming.

In Justice Court.
Jesse Blocker was tried under Justice Nettles Saturday for disturbing the peace. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty.
It is reported that during the trial a warrant was sworn out against him charging him with pistol-toting.

MURRAY SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE CORNER STONE LAID

Greatest Success of any Event in the History of Tishomingo—Large Crowds Attend.

Tishomingo, Okla., April 23.—The laying of the cornerstone of the Murray school of agriculture was the greatest success of any event in the history of Tishomingo. The day was a beautiful one and practically all the citizens as well as farmers from the county around had gathered to witness the ceremonies.

The procession formed on Main street, and was led by the Tishomingo band. Next came the Masons, followed by the public school children, and pupils of the Murray state school. Then came the state board of agriculture, followed by the civic authorities, and citizens and farmers.

When the procession had reached the campus, the cornerstone was laid under the ancient Masonic ritual. H. L. Muldow superintended the ceremonies, acting as deputy for Grand Master George Russell.

President J. A. Wilson made the first talk, giving a brief outline of the program for the day, and introduced B. C. Pittuck, dean of the agricultural schools of the state. Mr. Pittuck spoke about ten minutes, along the lines of agricultural education.

Judge J. P. Connors, chairman of the state board of agriculture, entertained the crowd for a short time and introduced Colonel Miller, of Louisville, Ky., who spoke eloquently for Oklahoma. E. D. Cameron state superintendent of education, was the next speaker and concluded his talk with a glowing tribute to W. H. Murray. Murray followed him, and spoke on the need of agricultural education. He made no allusion to his candidacy for governor.

After the speeches the audience repaired to the building used as temporary quarters for the school, and were served with a lunch by the domestic science department of that institution.

LAKE CHARLES, LA. SWEEP BY FIRE

5000 Persons Homeless and Several Missing—Scores Injured—Loss \$4,000,000.

Lake Charles, La., April 23.—Fire swept through the residence and business sections of this city Saturday doing property damage to the extent of \$4,000,000. Tonight 5,000 persons are homeless, several are missing and scores are injured.

The fire which started in the old opera house near the center of town wiped out more than 30 business blocks and then burned a path through the residence section. The flames were finally checked late in the evening by the use of dynamite, with which big breaches were made in the path of the flames, but not until the town had been practically wiped out.

The cause of the conflagration has not been ascertained. It is impossible to tell late tonight whether any of the missing have been killed and their bodies burned.

Temporary camps have been established on the outskirts of the city and thousands of homeless and injured are being cared for as well as possible. The suffering of the refugees is intense on account of the sudden drop in temperature.

The fire departments of Jennings, La., Alexandria, La., Orange and Beaumont, Tex., are here and assisting in getting the fire under control. Lake Charles is practically a new city of 20,000 inhabitants. It is a big city, lumber and oil center and the biggest town in southwest Louisiana.

A high wind carried the flames from the old opera house, where the fire started, and soon the Catholic church and convent nearby was ablaze. Two hundred children were rushed out of the convent safely. The courthouse and city hall, both new structures, were among the buildings destroyed.

Much of the property destroyed was not insured to its full value, and the individual losses will be heavy. Heavy losses were also caused by the destruction of old records and priceless French heirlooms.

Appeals for aid have been sent to the mayor of New Orleans, Governor Sanderson and the war department. Arrangements are being made to send a train load of supplies from New Orleans.

Kansas Town Suffers From Fire.
Cottonwood Falls, Kas., April 23.—A large part of the business section of Clements, a small town sixteen miles west of here, was burned Saturday afternoon. Fire starting in a general merchandise store and fanned by a high wind, burned five business buildings and several dwellings. The loss is estimated at \$75,000. The cause of the fire is unknown.

Paducah Suffers by Fire.
Paducah, Tex., April 23.—Fire, fanned by a strong north wind, completely destroyed the principal business block of the town. The estimated damage is about \$46,000. The origin of the fire is a mystery.

THE Ada National Bank

From the day of its opening, July 23, 1900, down to the present time the business of this Bank has gone forward without interruption.

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JURY STILL MISSING: DISTRACTED BY SOCIALIST

One of the Singular Happenings Incident to Political Enthusiasm.

(Contributed)

A liberal reward for a lost jury, the amount to be charged to the socialist political party.

On Saturday there was a civil suit in court. After the case was argued it was handed to a jury of 6 good and lawful men. During their deliberations over the points of justice, a socialist speaker made his appearance in an adjoining room and the comrades began to file in in rapid succession until a respectable audience had assembled. The speaker began to pour into the articles of his comrades his plans of dividing up. He grew loud and vociferous in his expostulations. The bailiff of this said jury was seated in the hallway discharging his legal duties by guarding the entrance to the said jury room, but being one of Adam's race who has had to toll for existence and subsistence, it is not surprising that he should become interested in the discussion and the plans of dividing up.

The speaker so attracted this humble bailiff, in his denunciations of the two old parties in explaining how the political machinery was continually grinding for the capitalist, making the rich richer and the poor poorer, until he became as if even hypnotized, and left his post to draw nearer, that he might be present and get into the divide up.

The jury who were men that were pretty well fixed financially had become attracted and excited by the dividing up proposition and finding themselves unguarded made a rush for home to protect their property, and the poor humble bailiff has been on the hunt continuously since the deplorable event, for his jury.

Any information leading to their recovery will be graciously received.

Teachers Meeting Saturday

The Pontotoc County Teachers Association met at the South side school building on Saturday evening to carry out the unfinished part of the February program.

Representatives from Roff, Francis and other parts of the county were in attendance. The city school and the normal were also represented.

Those present report a delightful as well as decidedly profitable afternoon with a well rendered program.

DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY
Will Surely Stop That Cough.

NEGRO BREAKS JAIL: USES MONKEY-WRENCH

Is Now at Large—\$50 Reward Offered for His Apprehension—Accomplice.

One negro buck, J. P. Lewis by name, broke jail here at some time on Saturday night. He used a monkey wrench to twist the taps off the staples that held the jail door, and has made good his escape. The instrument by means of which he effected his release was supposed to have been given him by a certain Buckheart, who was serving sentence for selling whiskey and was working his allotted time on the county road.

Lewis is about five feet nine inches in height, snuff colored, and weighs about one hundred and forty-five pounds.

There is no clue as to where the coon hit the tall timber or where he is hiding. However the officers are thinking he will be apprehended on no distant day. He is worth fifty dollars to the man who captures him.

Justice Brown Up Again.

Justice Brown is back in his office today after a severe attack of nettle rash which has lasted several days. His face, lips and hands were badly swollen. Altogether he was quite sick.

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Base-Ball News.—We have arranged for the news of the Texas League by innings, which will be posted on the wall in plain figures, so everyone can tell just how they stand at the end of each inning.

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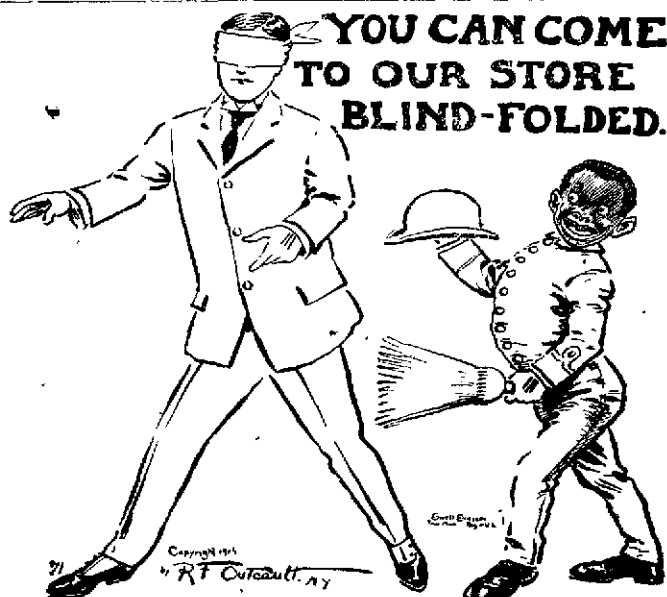
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OUTFITTER FOR MEN

ADA, OKLAHOMA

HORRIBLE TRAGEDY; MURDERS HIS WIFE; ATTEMPTS SUICIDE

ALLEN, OKLA., SHOCKED AND
FRENZIED BY AWFUL CRIME
OF ONE OF HER CITIZENS

MOB VIOLENCE ONCE FEARED

But All Is Quiet, Waiting the End
of Man Who Was So Des-
perate—Sure to Die

One of the most blood curdling, heart chilling crimes in the history of Pontotoc County, occurred yesterday at the town of Allen. While we are unable to obtain full particulars, we are certain one woman is dead and her husband is dying.

A Mr. Prentiss, a farmer, living near Allen became engaged in a quarrel with his wife; whereupon the wife threatened separation and made a dash for liberty. Prentiss, who doubtlessly had threatened his wife with violence, followed her, as is alleged, about fifty yards down the street with a shotgun and fired, shooting her through the heart and killing her instantly. The break for liberty, the running for life availed the frightened woman nothing. She paid the death penalty for a family altercation. Murdered by the man who was her sworn protector.

The Chase and Capture.
Prentiss, realizing the enormity of his crime, and fearing justice, made a desperate attempt to evade capture by the citizens and officer Drake who were rushing to the scene of the tragedy, by running, first across an open field and then up a small creek. Here his mad flight was intercepted by the still growing crowd of pursuers, consequently he turned to ward the city, but finding all hope of escape again cut off, rather than be caught alive he turned the remaining load of the shotgun upon himself with fatal effect.

Prentiss, while wounding himself fatally, did not die, and deputy W. W. Drake and others, fearing mob violence, called to Ada for help.

Sheriff Smith being gone to Oklahoma City, Bill Adair and Lem Mitchell responded to the call.

At the last report from Allen we learn that the wounded man is near death's door and all hostile demonstrations against him have ceased.

Later:
Since writing the above, the News called up officer Drake at Allen and learned if he were correctly understood, that Prentiss' initials are H. J. and that his wife leaves one child about three or four years of age.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Prentiss were well respected at Allen, and the supposition is that he killed his wife while in a fit of jealousy, since the two had been getting along badly for some time.

While public sentiment is strongly against Prentiss at present no one can properly place the blame, for no one outside the man and his wife have any connection with the tragedy.

It is further learned that Prentiss, after shooting his wife, went first into his home to procure ammunition, but finding none went about a mile to a neighbors and told the neighbor he wanted a load for the gun to shoot a squirrel with. The man readily gave Prentiss the coveted load. Upon receiving the ammunition, he retraced his steps to Allen and told Bob Black of that place of his intended suicide. Black prevailed upon the frightened man not to do himself bodily harm and made a move to approach and seize the gun. It was then Prentiss retreated, and being followed by citizens and officer Drake, shot himself.

As we go to press Mrs. Prentiss is on the way to "silent city of the dead," mourned by her child, family and friends. She was killed about four o'clock yesterday afternoon, or twenty-four hours ago.

Attorney Wimbish, Bill Adair and Lem Mitchell are now at the scene of the crime.

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BLIZZARD SWEEPS NORTHERN STATES

Heavy Snows, Great Crop Damage
With \$75,000,000 Loss—Steamers
Missing on Great Lakes.

Chicago, April 24—Twenty-four hours of blizzard sweeping over fifteen states, the great lakes and part of Canada has caused a probable loss to fruit, vegetables and grain crops of \$75,000,000.

Resulted in stranding one steamer and imperiling of fifty others two of which are reported missing.

Spread all territory north of the Mason and Dixon line with from 3 to 24 inches of snow.

Impeded steam railroad, lake and electric transportation.

Coming as it does with millions of acres of fruit trees in blossom, spring wheat and vegetables sprouting, the storm is nothing less than calamitous. In Minnesota, North Dakota and South Dakota much grain will have to be re-seeded.

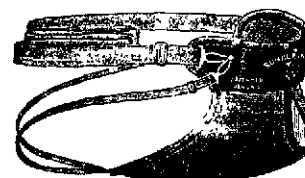
Shipping on the great lakes, where waves are running mountain high, forcing steamers from their courses and in some instances throwing them upon unfriendly beaches suffered immense damage.

The Goodrich transportation line passenger and freight steamer Iowa, succumbing to a furious gale, fell from its course and was rammed ashore four miles south of Racine. Thrilling rescues of frightened passengers were accomplished by the Racine and Kenosha life saving crews.

Train service over the entire north-west and in the Mississippi valley was delayed and one wreck and a number of narrow escapes from serious accidents were reported.

Temperatures throughout the northern states and as far south as Missouri, ranged from 20 to 32. There is no relief in sight for tomorrow, forecasts indicating a continuance of cold and wind.

Roy Givens spent Sunday with home folks at Roff.



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You should read this advertisement. For while it is an advertisement yet it deals with an important problem that affects the entire country.

"Our Deal With Rats." McClure's says:—"On the back of the Rat rides triumphantly around the world, spreading death in a terrible form, the flea that carries in itself the germs of bubonic plague." It costs us \$500,000,000 a year to feed the rats in the United States.

We advocate that this town have a rat killing week. Then when the rat leaves your house he will also find rat poison at your neighbors.

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DEMOCRATIC POLITI-
CAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following are the names of
candidates for public office subject to
the action of the Democratic pri-
maries occurring August 2nd
The Democratic public is assured
that the names appearing below rep-
resent Democrats, who are regardless
of the proper support of the Demo-
cratic press and respectful toward
the wishes of the people who desire
to become well acquainted with the
name and reputation of the man for
whom they vote

- For Governor
LEE CRUCE
- For Attorney General
CLINT GRAHAM
- For Judge-Criminal Court of Appeals
HENRY M. FURMAN
- For Clerk Supreme Court
W. H. L. (Name obscured)
- For State Corporation Commissioner
GEO. A. HENSHAW
- For District Judge 7th District, Two
Elect
TOM D. MCKEOWN
A. T. WEST
ROBT M. RAINEY
- For State Senator 23rd District
REUBEN M. RODDIE
- For Mine Inspector District No 1
JOHN O'BRIEN
- For County Judge
CONWAY O. BARTON
A. M. CROXTON
EDGAR S. RATLIFF
- For Sheriff
SAM MCCLURE
GEO. THOMPSON
LEM MITCHELL
ANDY H. CHAPMAN
- For County Clerk
W. S. KERR
- For District Clerk
W. T. COX
- For County Treasurer
J. K. SOROGGINS
J. W. WESTBROOK
R. H. (Rit) ERWIN
- For County Attorney
ROBT L. WIMBISH
- For Register of Deeds
WILLIAM B. JONES
CROCKET C. HARGIS
- For Superintendent Public Schools
PROF. T. F. FIERCE
- For County Wielder
JOHN WARD
SHERWOOD HILL
- For County Commissioner West Dist
CHAS. W. FLOYD
- Justice of the Peace, Ada Precinct
HENRY J. BROWN
- For Constable, Ada Precinct
E. L. BUNCH

PAID AND UNDER-PAID.

Brains Seems to Be at a Discount
in Wage-Earning.

Guthrie, Okla. April 23—The av-
erage Oklahoma wage earner has 31
persons in his family, receives
\$665.50 in wages annually, spends
\$249.99 of this for food, or 36 per
cent of his total income, his annual
cost of living, including food, fuel,
clothing, sickness and rent, is \$473.20.
His savings are unknown. The av-
erage daily cost of food for each mem-
ber of his family is 21 cents.
This average has been ascertained
by Labor Commissioner C. L. Daugh-
erty, after an exhaustive census of
223 wage earners, of 27 vocations,
including brick layers, school teach-

era, retail clerks, conductors, miners,
machinists, printers, etc.
Of the 223 wage earners who sub-
mitted their vital statistics, however,
about half earned less than the an-
nual average; 49 earned over \$1,000,
24 between \$800 and \$1,000, 21, be-
tween \$600 and \$800; 27, between
\$700 and \$800, 28, between \$600 and
\$700, 30, between \$500 and \$600; 30
between \$400 and \$500, 12, between
\$300 and \$400.
Conductors seem to earn the most
annually of any of the vocations,
those reporting, having an annual
earning of \$1,443, printers are also
well paid, receiving \$1,311, railroad
engineers averaged \$1,302, the ubi-
quitous plumber averaged \$1,146,
firemen, printing pressmen, electric-
ians, boiler makers and machinists
all average about the same, between
\$1,005 and \$1,080 annually.
The intellectual school teacher
must undoubtedly feel that brains are
at a discount. Twenty-seven teach-
ers employed in state institutions,
averaged \$780 in earnings, 41 first
grade teachers averaged \$877, 24
second grade teachers averaged \$627,
14 third grade teachers averaged
\$470 annually.
The retail clerks averaged \$658,
barbers, \$508, painters, \$365, car-
penters, \$340, brakemen, \$380, mis-
cellaneous occupations, \$337. Even
the lowly hod carrier averages \$550
annually, or considerably more than
second and third grade school teach-
ers.

ROOSEVELT POPULAR
WITH THE FRENCH

Delighted With His Reception, Cheer-
ed by Thousands of Intellectual
Frenchmen.

(By A. J. Lambert)
Paris, April 23—Three thousand
people, filling the Sorbonne, men, and
women, all of them, in many cases
heavily jeweled, rose en masse and
cheered Colonel Roosevelt for five
solid minutes at the conclusion of
his address on "Citizenship in a Re-
public."
The colonel was delighted with the
method of his reception, and after
he had been presented mistakenly
with a bust of Jefferson Davis where
one of Lincoln had been intended,
also two Sevres vases, he said to me
that he was more than pleased over
the enthusiasm with which his re-
marks were received. The address
was delivered in English save the
introductory remarks, which were
made in French. To the vice-rector
M. Liard, who came out of a sick
bed to attend the function, the ad-
dress was particularly strenuous.
Now and then Mr. Roosevelt inter-
polated a few additional vigorous
passages in French particularly the
interpolation regarding the moneyed
interests, which he not only spoke
in English, but repeated in French,
as being the creed of his views.
He took all of the classes of citi-
zens whom he views as "undesir-
ables" down the line, and as he scored
the millionaires it was amusing to
witness the expression of Mrs. W.
K. Vanderbilt wearing her wonder-
ful black costume with diamond or-
naments in her hair and a huge black
hat.
As the colonel scored each point
he would stick his protruding jaw
lightly forward and banged out
his emphasis with a copy of his
speech. Then the audience would let
forth a thunderous applause.
He spoke for over an hour and a
half, his voice, save for these jocular
interjections of French, main-
taining its even monotony and never
breaking but once during the whole
delivery.
There was particularly vociferous
applause when he said the French
the lesson of their duty in having
children, denouncing those married
couples who are purposely barren in
the strongest terms and prophesying
the terrible fate which they are bring-
ing on themselves.
He was very characteristic when
he told of an anecdote of his west-
ern experience. A cow puncher
started to brand a Maverick with the
Colonel's brand instead of the range
brand. The colonel told the cow
puncher not to do it.
"Why?" exclaimed the astonished
cow puncher.
Because," said the colonel, "if
you will steal for me you will very
likely steal from me."
The whole scene was particularly
brilliant and remarkable and ended
with a demonstration wherein the
faculty, society men and women, and
boy and girl students equally joined.
Colonel Roosevelt dined at the Sor-
bonne and afterwards attended a re-
ception at the famous university.
Curiously enough the invitations to
all the Sorbonne functions were is-
sued for M. Le President Roosevelt.
Farms Loans See Carlton Weaver

PROHIBITION
ENFORCEMENT

ATTORNEY LAUGHBAUM OF THE
ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE
SPEAKS

ADDRESSES TWO AUDIENCES

Argument, for Continuation of Pro-
hibition Unanswerable.

Judge Laughbaum, attorney for the
Oklahoma Anti-Saloon League, and
special counsel to the Governor, ad-
dressed a good sized audience, in his
afternoon at the Christian church,
and at the Methodist church in the
evening. Among many good things the
speaker said.
It was my privilege, standing in
the opera house at Grand Rapids,
Mich., Sunday afternoon, the 15th
day of December, to address a mass
meeting of men. There on the stage,
with the beautiful large silk U. S.
flag, in my opening remarks I was
extolling the virtues of the state of
Oklahoma, I spoke of the sweetness
of our women and the gallantry of
our men, and then stepping over to
the flag, I took hold of it with my
hand, and stretching it out across
the stage, I said "and best of all,
where the church of the Lord and
Savior, Jesus Christ, plucked a pure
white star, the 46th state, to rep-
resent the new state of Oklahoma and
planted it in Old Glory, and entered
a pledge on that day that so long as
that flag, with that star, floats over
Oklahoma, it shall never float legal-
ized licensed saloons."
So I am here tonight to defend the
old flag, and I feel deeply and keenly
the individual responsibility resting
on me to keep that star pure and
white, and I hope that I may be
able to shoulder upon each one of
you some of that responsibility.
There is another reason of more
importance, however, for which I feel
more deeply and more keenly the
individual responsibility resting up-
on me at this hour, for we are now
standing upon virgin soil; soil that
has never known a legalized licen-
sated saloon since the beginning of
the world and that shall never know
a legalized licensed saloon so long as
time shall last, unless the church of
Oklahoma takes a backward step.
Twenty-three millions of people
live south of the Mason and Dixon
line, and twenty-one millions of us
are living in prohibition territory.
Some people say that prohibition
does not prohibit and that there is
more liquor sold and drunk in a pro-
hibition state than where they have
saloons. Some one once made such
a statement to Sam P. Jones and he
replied by asking the party if the
liquor men did not sell all they
could when we had licensed saloons.
The party answered that they did
and Sam Jones replied by saying
"You fool, you, then can they sell
more than they can when the saloons
are closed?" Go with me to Okla-
homa City and we will go up North
Broadway to third street and turning
down Third street as far as the Santa
Fe railroad track and there we can
stand and look at a monument six
stories high, built of stone and brick,
pointing silently vacant into the
heavens, today, and pointing out to
all mankind in Oklahoma that in Ok-
lahoma prohibition does prohibit, and
that monument is the New State
Brewery. Now, let the federal gov-
ernment amend the interstate laws
and the postal laws so that when
Schlitz, Pabst, Schmidt, Heims, An-
heuser-Busch send their nefarious
product into Oklahoma, we can secure
a requisition from our government
upon the government of their states
and bring these men down into Ok-
lahoma and work them upon our
public highways along with the boot-
legger that bootlegs their product.
The Anti-Saloon League is making
a campaign this year from Maine to
California and from Washington to
Florida and to each congressional
district for the purpose of electing
congressmen that will support an
amendment to the interstate com-
merce laws so that the brewers and
distillers of other states cannot ship
their product into prohibition states.
Let's make this our fight in Oklahoma
in each and every congressional
district and see to it that men run-
ning for congress stand in favor of
the amendment of the interstate com-
merce law.
The saloon element told us during
the campaign for state-wide prohibi-
tion that if we closed up the saloons
it would kill our cities and towns,
that grass would grow upon the
streets. Fearing that the saloon ele-
ment was telling us the truth, we
got busy in Oklahoma City paving
our streets, and now have near 80

miles of asphalt paved streets, and
Ada is paying many blocks of her
streets, and we are sure that grass
will not grow in these streets. The
bank deposits each year since state-
hood have increased from one to two
millions of dollars. The individual
bank deposits in this state for the
first two years of statehood increased
over six millions of dollars. Eighteen
cities and towns in Oklahoma that
did not have a single foot of paved
streets when we had the saloons,
are now paving the streets. Thirty-
five hundred new school houses have
been built since statehood. Oklahoma
is more prosperous than ever and I
take it that our people will not take
a backward step and that they will
see to it that the star in Old Glory
remains pure and white and that the
soil in the Indian Territory part of
our state remains virgin soil and
never becomes polluted by the legal-
ized licensed saloon.
In order to continue this prosperity
in Oklahoma and keep the star pure
and white in Old Glory and the soil
in the Indian country virgin, we
must enforce our law.

FROM TEXAS TO MOBILE
MARCH STARTED YESTERDAY

The Heaviest Move of Texans to Mo-
bile in Years—Many Specials
Are Run.

Dallas, Tex. April 24—Confeder-
ate veterans of Texas will depart to-
day for the annual reunion at Mo-
bile. Veterans from the West and
Norwest will go to Fort Worth on
regular trains, and there take a spe-
cial to be run by the Texas and
Pacific Gen. K. M. Van Zandt, com-
mander of the Texas division, and his
staff and the veterans of Camp Rob-
ert E. Lee, will be aboard of the
special, which will stop at Dallas
for Gen. W. L. Cabell, commander
of the Trans-Mississippi Department,
and his staff.
The train will leave the Dallas city
depot at 11:10 a. m. Veterans will
be picked up at all the stations en-
route. Veterans from points north of
the Texas and Pacific will join the
party at Marshall, from which point
the train will be run in two sec-
tions.
The two sections will consist of
twenty cars—one baggage car, one
lunch car, four coaches, three chair
cars, eleven tourists' cars, and four
standard sleepers. In addition to the
special, the Texas and Pacific will
place extra equipment on all regular
trains. The Tyler and Wills Point
bands will furnish music for the
trip.
The Texas and Pacific railroad pro-
vided a special car for the inmates
of the Soldiers' Home at Austin. The
party left Austin last night over the
International and Great Northern.
Their coach will be attached to the
special at Longview today.
C. P. Fegan of the passenger de-
partment of the Texas and Pacific
railroad said yesterday that the in-
dications were that this would be the
heaviest movement of veterans from
Texas in many years that his infor-
mation was that there would be large
delegations from Amarillo, Quanah,
Vernon, and other points on the Fort
Worth and Denver, also from Sweet-
water, Colorado, Abilene and Weath-
erford in the West, and San Angelo,
Brownwood, Comanche and Stephen-
ville on the Fort Worth and Rio
Grande. Larger delegations will rep-
resent Clarksville, Paris, Mount Ver-
non, Mount Pleasant and other points
in Northeast Texas. J. A. Chilton,
traveling passenger agent of the Tex-
as and Pacific railroad, will accom-
pany the excursionists to Mobile and
arrange for their return.
The members of Camp Sterling
Price will meet at headquarters just
before train time and proceed to the
station in a body to see the dele-
gates leave.
Gen. Cabell will go and reserva-
tions have been made for the follow-
ing members of his staff: Gen. Milton
Park, Gen. R. M. Gano, Major B. S.
Wathen, Col. H. W. Graber, Col. Sam-
uel Mendez, and Major Thomas H.
Kingsley.

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SERVICES MODEST AND SHORT

Many Crowded the Church to Take a
Last Look at the Man Who Was
Known as Well as Washing-
ton.

New York, April 23—The body of
Mark Twain began today its last
journey from the sunny chamber
where it had lain in Stormfield to the
spot in God's Acre, where it shall
rest at last beside those whom he
loved long since and lost a while.
Funeral services were said in the
old brick Presbyterian church at
Fifth avenue and Thirty-seventh
street, this city, by Dr. Henry A. Van
Dyke, professor of English literature
at Princeton university at 3 o'clock
this afternoon. The prayer was pro-
nounced by Dr. Joseph H. Twichell
of Hartford, Conn., Mark Twain's old
friend and pastor.
At 2:30 tomorrow morning the body
will leave for Elmira over the Lack-
awanna railroad.
In accordance with the wishes of
the family, the services today were
brief and simple. The only music
was an organ prelude, the "Death of
Ase" by Grieg. There was a modest
display of white lilies, lilies of the
valley, white and red roses, orchids,
and sweet peas about the coffin.
Those who wished were permitted to
view the features. Invitations were by
card, but after the friends and the
family had been seated, the church
was well filled by the general pub-
lic. In all, the services took but half
an hour.
"The Man We Loved."
In his address, Dr. Van Dyke said
in part:
"This is not the place nor the
time for an eulogy of the famous
writer, the honored and representa-
tive American. Here we are all of us
simply human. The touch of grief
is upon us. We think of Mark Twain,
not as the celebrity, but as the man
whom we knew and loved.
"Those who knew his work as a
whole know that under the lambent
and irrepressible humor which was
his gift there was a foundation of
serious thought and noble affection
and desires. The mark of his higher
humor is that it does not laugh
at the weak the helpless, the true
the innocent only at the false the
pretentious, the vain the hypercriti-
cal."
Jean Clemens died on Christmas
eve while her Christmas tree stood in
the living room at Stormfield fully
garnished and untouched. Her body
was sent to Elmira on Christmas
night. That was Mark Twain's last
Christmas.
The storms beat upon the daugh-
ter the sun shone today upon the
father, inscribed.
The shining rosewood coffin stood
upon a baggage truck in the glaring
sunlight. On the cover was a silver
plate, "Hannibal Langhorne Clemens
Mark Twain, 1910."
Immortality His.
Above the plate lay a wreath of
mountain laurel emblem of immor-
tality picked from the tamarack
hills.
The train began to draw out of
the station, and as it gathered way
a farmer on the platform said sob-
berly:
"There goes a man the country
knew as well as George Washing-
ton."
There was no sign that anybody at
succeeding stations through which
the train passed knew what burden
it carried. The family party occupied
a compartment. Old Katie, the house-
keeper, sat in a corner and wept si-
lently.
Among those who attended were
Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Carnegie,
Robert J. Collier, Peter F. Dunne
(Mr. Dooley), Robert Underwood
Johnson of the Century Magazine,
Prof. Brander Matthews, W. D. How-
ells, James Lane Allen, Carol Beck-
with, the painter, Dan Beard, the il-
lustrator, Robert Bridges, the poet,
E. S. Martin, the essayist, John H.
Finley, president of the college of the
City of New York, H. H. Rogers, Jr.
James Choate, Col. D. P. Appleton,
W. P. Wentworth Higginson and
many authors and members of the
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phur and will exhibit on Raney all
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day erecting the different tents and
attractions and nearly everything will
be in readiness for the opening to-
night.

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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Smith Sells Furniture. dit
J. B. Gay went to Tulsa today.
A. J. Black went to Stonewall today.
R. B. Faunt Le Roy went to Francis today.
U. G. Winn has returned from Guthrie.
Clyde Roland went to Roff this morning.
Duke Stone went to Coalgate this morning.
Mrs. Joe Beck spent Sunday with Roff friends.
Miss Stella Rodgers returned to Roff Sunday.
Try our carmel nut sundaes. Ramsey Drug Co.
Miss Gertrude Case returned from Shawnee today.
List your real estate with the Weaver Agency.
Rev. Anderson returned from Konawa this morning.
Miss Adair returned to Holdenville this morning.
J. F. McKeel is transacting business at Stonewall.
Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Coon went to Wewoka this morning.
Mrs. F. R. Laird is the guest of Mrs. J. B. Barren today.
Mr. F. Thredgill of Coalgate spent Sunday with Ada friends.
Mrs. Pearl McGurkin returned from Oklahoma City this morning.
H. R. Mayres, Frisco cashier, is on the sick list today and confined to his room.
Miss Cora Donaldson who has been visiting friends in Ada, returned to Carneville today.
Frank Jones will loan money on farm lands, city property and real estate notes. Quick service.
Rev. C. E. Smootz came in from Claremore this morning for a few days visit with his family.
Miss Jennie Boucher has returned to Ardmore after a pleasant visit with her sister Mrs. Brawley.
Miss Corrine Katz returned from Oklahoma City this morning after a pleasant visit with Rita Harris.
Mrs. Kate Monger who has been visiting T. B. Kille and family returned to her home in Whitesboro this morning.
The intelligent, progressive spirit of Ada will certainly not fail to arrange for the Chautauqua. Be at the City Hall tonight.
Walsh has received a slicer for breakfast bacon and dried beef, which will save almost half your meat bill. Let him prove the statement.
Miss Gertrude Thompson, sponsor for Chickasaw Brigade and Miss Katherine Edmonston, maid of honor, left for Mobile, Ala., to attend the annual Confederate reunion.

Meet Me at Corn's Soda Fountain

We have one of the most up-to-date Soda Fountains in the State. Come in and try some of our dispensers' Fancy Drinks. Everything clean and sanitary. Full line of Smoking and Chewing Tobacco and Cigars. Our Pool and Billiard Tables are all new and level.

Base-Ball News.—We have arranged for the news of the Texas League by innings, which will be posted on the wall in plain figures, so everyone can tell just how they stand at the end of each inning.

OLD MISSION BILLIARD PARLOR
B. J. CORN, Proprietor

Come to the City Hall tonight—

Stahl, the photographer, phone 176.

Frank Smith spent Sunday at Roff.

Mrs. L. C. Baker spent Sunday at Roff.

Mrs. Kennedy returned from Roff Sunday.

Horace Peby visited friends at Roff Sunday.

Miss Alley Hughey visited friends at Roff Sunday.

C. E. Wingo is visiting in different parts of Texas.

Prescriptions Properly Prepared. The G. M. C. Way.

Mr. and Mrs. Gotcher spent Sunday with Roff friends.

Mrs. O. W. Morgan visited friends at Roff last week.

Misses Eunice and Mazelle Ganey spent Sunday at Roff.

Let the Commercial Club push the Chautauqua movement.

Miss Sallie McCain spent Sunday with her sister at Pithough.

J. W. Gay was called to McAlester today on account of the illness of his mother.

Miss Daley Whipple was the guest of her sister, Miss Laura, Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Nell Reese and Margarite McKay visited Miss Dunscomb at Roff yesterday.

Mrs. J. E. Harris who has been visiting relatives here, returned to Madill yesterday.

Miss Lucile Leslie who has been visiting Miss Gertrude Thompson returned to her home in Sherman, Tex.

Brother Dings of Stratford, on his return from his Tennessee home stayed over night with his friend, Justice Brown.

Mr. Calhoun of Sparks of Shawnee is here to relieve Mr. Wingo while he is away on a few days' vacation.

Shall Ada have a Chautauqua in connection with the Summer Normal? If you say Yes—be at the City Hall tonight.

Miss Lucile Leslie, who has been visiting Geo. Thompson and family returned to her home in Sherman yesterday.

E. C. Eckman left on yesterday for Mobile, Ala., and thence to Jacksonville, Fla., his old home, for a visit of ten days duration.

The Ladies of the City are invited to attend the mass meeting tonight at the City Hall to have a voice in the Chautauqua movement.

Mrs. W. D. Bryant, of Conway, Ark., has arrived to visit her daughter, Mrs. F. R. Nixon, who has been quite sick. Mrs. Nixon is much improved today.

It is regretted that Miss Aileen Shands, who was chosen one of the two maids of honor to the Confederate Reunion at Mobile, has been quite sick for several days and was not able to leave with the party yesterday.

Just Received.
A few beautiful pattern hats and up-to-date shapes at the Model Millinery Parlor. Remember this stock of millinery is going at very reduced prices. South Broadway. dit

The following attractions are being offered to the city for the Summer Chautauqua: "Ozark State Quartette," Ex-Governor H. A. Buehler of Colorado. The Schultz-Leigh Concert Co., Walter Howe, the noted Humorist, Everett Kemp, Reader, Dr. Homer T. Wilson, the Mropeheasts, The Hungarian Orchestra, Paul V. Voelker, Columbian Orchestra, Col. G. A. Gearheart, The DeKoven Male Quartette and Hon. I. M. Holcomb.
This list presents a very fine array of talent and a most excellent and varied program. It offers a season of high-class entertainments that we cannot afford to allow other cities to have when we are as well able to provide the same in our own city.

CITY HALL TONIGHT

Chautauqua—Everybody who is interested in all in the building of Ada is requested to attend the Mass Meeting at the City Hall tonight. The conditions on which our city may secure a Chautauqua for this summer will be explained and discussed. No collection is to be taken. The schools, the churches, the clubs, the lodges, professional, commercial, and industrial interests are vitally concerned in this movement. Come. Let the laborers and the merchants, the physicians and the lawyers, the clerks and the bankers and everybody come.

SHERIFFS MEET TODAY

Business of Importance to be attended to.

The Oklahoma Sheriffs' Association meets in Oklahoma City today at the Lee-Huckelins Hotel. Business of importance will be attended to, and a large gathering is expected. The chiefs of police of the various cities have also been invited, and several of these are expected. Sheriff Geo. Noble of LeFlore is president of the association, and Sheriff Frank Carter of Tillman, secretary. Arrangements for the accommodation of the visitors are being made by Sheriff M. C. Binton of this county.

Oil Well to be Shot Tomorrow

Preparations for shooting the oil well are being made. The man who will make the shot, and the nitroglycerine will be here on tomorrow morning. The shot will be at the depth where oil was struck. Many are looking for a gusher, so look out, she's coming.

In Justice Court

Jesse Blocker was tried under Justice Nettles Saturday for disturbing the peace. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty.
It is reported that during the trial a warrant was sworn out against him charging him with pistol-toting.

MURRAY SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE CORNER STONE LAID

Greatest Success of any Event in the History of Tishomingo—Large Crowds Attend.

Tishomingo, Okla., April 23.—The laying of the cornerstone of the Murray state school of agriculture was the greatest success of any event in the history of Tishomingo. The day was a beautiful one and practically all the citizens as well as farmers from the county around had gathered to witness the ceremonies.

The procession formed on Main street, and was led by the Tishomingo band. Next came the Masons, followed by the public school children, and pupils of the Murray state school. Then came the state board of agriculture, followed by the civic authorities, and citizens and farmers.

When the procession had reached the campus, the cornerstone was laid under the ancient Masonic ritual. H. L. Muldow, superintendent of the ceremonies, acting as deputy for Grand Master George Rudell.

President J. A. Wilson made the first talk, giving a brief outline of the program for the day, and introduced B. C. Pittuck, dean of the agricultural schools of the state. Mr. Pittuck spoke about ten minutes, along the lines of agricultural education.

Judge J. P. Connors, chairman of the state board of agriculture, entertained the crowd for a short time and introduced Colonel Miller, of Louisville, Ky., who spoke eloquently for Oklahoma. E. D. Cameron, state superintendent of education, was the next speaker and concluded his talk with a glowing tribute to W. H. Murray. Murray followed him, and spoke on the need of agricultural education. He made no allusion to his candidacy for governor.

After the speeches the audience repaired to the building used as temporary quarters for the school, and were served with a lunch by the domestic science department of that institution.

LAKE CHARLES, LA. SWEEP BY FIRE

5000 Persons Homeless and Several Missing—Scores Injured—Loss \$1,000,000.

Lake Charles, La., April 23.—Fire swept through the residence and business sections of this city Saturday doing property damage to the extent of \$1,000,000. Tonight 5,000 persons are homeless, several are missing and scores are injured.

The fire which started in the old opera house near the center of town wiped out more than 30 business blocks and then burned a path through the residence section. The flames were finally checked late in the evening by the use of dynamite, with which big breaches were made in the path of the flames, but not until the town had been practically wiped out.

The cause of the conflagration has not been ascertained. It is impossible to tell late tonight whether any of the missing have been killed and their bodies burned.

Temporary camps have been established on the outskirts of the city and thousands of homeless and injured are being cared for as well as possible. The suffering of the refugees is intense on account of the sudden drop in temperature.

The first departments of Jennings, La., Alexandria, La., Orange and Beaumont, Tex., are here and assisting in getting the fire under control.

Lake Charles is practically a new city of 20,000 inhabitants. It is a big rice, lumber and oil center and the biggest town in southwest Louisiana.

A high wind carried the flames from the old opera house, where the fire started, and soon the Catholic church and convent nearby were ablaze. Two hundred children were rushed out of the convent safely.

The courthouse and city hall, both new structures, were among the buildings destroyed.
Much of the property destroyed was not insured to its full value, and the individual losses will be heavy. Heavy losses were also caused by the destruction of old records and priceless French heirlooms.

Appeals for aid have been sent to the mayor of New Orleans, Governor Sanderson and the war department. Arrangements are being made to send a train load of supplies from New Orleans.

Kansas Town Suffers From Fire

Cottonwood Falls, Kas., April 23.—A large part of the business section of Clements, a small town sixteen miles west of here, was burned Saturday afternoon. Fire starting in a general merchandise store and fanned by a high wind, burned five business buildings and several dwellings. The loss is estimated at \$75,000. The cause of the fire is unknown.

Paducah Suffers by Fire

Paducah, Tex., April 23.—Fire, fanned by a strong north wind, completely destroyed the principal business block of the town. The estimated damage is about \$46,000. The origin of the fire is a mystery.

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JURY STILL MISSING: DISTRACTED BY SOCIALIST

One of the Singular Happenings Incident to Political Enthusiasm.

(Contributed)

A liberal reward for a lost jury, the amount to be charged to the socialist political party.
On Saturday there was a civil suit in court. After the case was argued it was handed to a jury of 8 good and lawful men. During their deliberations over the points of justice, a socialist speaker made his appearance in an adjoining room and the comrades began to file in in rapid succession until a respectable audience had assembled. The speaker began to pour into the ear of his comrades his plans of dividing up the jury who were men that were pretty well fixed financially had become attracted and excited by the dividing up proposition and finding themselves unguarded made a rush for home to protect their property, and the poor humble juror has been on the hunt continuously since the deplorable event, for his jury.
Any information leading to their recovery will be graciously received.

The speaker so attracted this humble juror, in his denunciations of the two old parties in explaining how the political machinery was continually grinding for the capitalist, making the rich richer and the poor poorer, until he became as if even hypnotized, and left his post to draw nearer, that he might be present and get into the divide up.

The jury who were men that were pretty well fixed financially had become attracted and excited by the dividing up proposition and finding themselves unguarded made a rush for home to protect their property, and the poor humble juror has been on the hunt continuously since the deplorable event, for his jury.
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Teachers Meeting Saturday

The Pontotoc County Teachers Association met at the South side school building on Saturday evening to carry out the unfinished part of the February program.

Representatives from Roff, Francis and other parts of the county were in attendance. The city school and the normal were also represented.

Those present report a delightful as well as a decidedly profitable afternoon with a well rendered program.

DRINKING NEW DISCOVERY Will Surely Stop That Cough

NEGRO BREAKS JAIL: USES MONKEY-WRENCH

Is Now at Large—\$50 Reward Offered for His Apprehension—Accomplice.

One negro buck, J. P. Lewis by name, broke jail here at some time on Saturday night. He used a monkey wrench to twist the bars off the staples that held the jail door, and has made good his escape. The instrument by means of which he effected his release was supposed to have been given him by a certain Buckmaster who was serving sentence for selling whiskey and was working his allotted time on the county road.

Lewis is about five feet nine inches in height, snuff colored, and weighs about one hundred and forty-five pounds.

There is no clue as to where the coon hit the tall timber or where he is hiding. However the officers are thinking he will be apprehended on no distant day. He is worth fifty dollars to the man who captures him.

Justice Brown Up Again

Justice Brown is back in his office today after a severe attack of nettle rash which has lasted several days. His face, lips and hands were badly swollen. Altogether he was quite sick.

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Ardmore Gubernatorial Candidate Received with Demonstration

Ardmore, Okla., April 25.—The perfect confidence the friends of Lee Cruce have in him was manifested Saturday by a Carter county demonstration attended by 5,000 people. Of this number fully 4,000 heard the address of the gubernatorial candidate at the auditorium following the pa-

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ardly to be governor. I have never dodged the prohibition issue during the other campaign I made two speeches for prohibition The prohibition question has no place in politics and some of its best friends in the state are endeavoring to keep it out of politics I am opposed to this issue being a test of a man's democracy "

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We guarantee immediate and positive relief to all sufferers from constipation in every case where our remedy fails to do this we will supply it free That's a frank statement of facts, and we want you to substantiate them at our risk

ReXall Orderlies are a gentle, effective, dependable and safe bowel regulator, strengthener and tonic that are eaten like candy They re-establish nature's functions in a quiet easy way They do not cause any inconvenience, griping or anausea. They are so pleasant to take, and work so easily, that they may be taken by any one at any time They thoroughly tone up the whole system to healthy activity They have a most beneficial action upon the liver

ReXall Orderlies are unsurpassable and ideal and delicate persons We cannot too highly recommend them to all sufferers from any form of constipation and its attendant evils That's why we back our faith in them with our promise of money back if they do not give entire satisfaction Two sizes 12 tablets 10 cents and 36 tablets 25 cents Remember you can obtain ReXall Remedies in Ada only at our store—The ReXall Store The Gwin & Mays Drug Co

Bargains For You.

Look down the list and figure out what pleases you most This will catch you

- 1 Home—200 feet front in front of the South school campus A bargain
- 2 A five room cottage on 100 feet in few doors of First M E church Awfully cheap
- 3 An elegant 6 room modern home on 100 feet Corner West 16th
- 4 Splendid 6 room house and 100 feet on corner on South Townsend Dirt cheap
- 5 A bran new plastered 5 room cottage on South 17th
- 6 Five room house and 100 feet on corner in Sunrise

Business Stuff.

- 1 A 22 room hotel on two 25-foot lots
- 2 A pair of dandies on corner Main street
- 3 A well located house and business lot on 12th
- 4 Three business lots on West Main
- 5 Business house and lot on Broadway between Main and 12th
- 6 Two business lots on East Main

This property is going to be taken by some one with a good eye who can see an inch beyond their nose Call at the News office and talk with us procuring prices and terms

P S—We have vacant stuff on the east side at prices which will attract

THE WEAVER AGENCY
Carlton Weaver Representative

Purity, perfect results and economy all are combined in K C Baking Powder Guaranteed the best at any price You are wasting your money to pay more for any baking powder 25 cents for a 25 ounce can.



Now

that we have caught your eye

We want to tell you about that new

Electric Iron

Just the thing for hot weather—no red hot stove on a red hot day—no walking, no lifting, easy to regulate. Try one

Ada Electric & Gas Company

Phone No. 37 South Broadway

FINANCIAL GLEANINGS IN OKLAHOMA

Number of State Charters Indicative of Healthful Growth and Prosperity.

Guthrie, Ok, April 24.—State charters have been issued to the following corporations

Carmen Improvement Company, of Carmen, Capital \$15,000 Incorporators, R L Mims, John Roll and F E Wentworth.

Keller Cash Grocery Company, of Oklahoma City Capital \$10,000 Incorporators, Edward Keller, W C Madison and W W Smith

Rainy Mountain Rural Telephone Company, of Hobart Capital \$100 Incorporators, Asa Kerr, Konaity, A H Prough Roosevelt, W S Fleming, Hobart

City Lumber and Home Builders Association, of Oklahoma City Capital \$10,000 Incorporators, S W Jones, Benjamin M Morgan, Wiley H Jones

El Reno Furniture Company, of El Reno Capital \$25,000 Incorporators, C L Bryson, El Reno, J E Polstey K C Brown, Columbus, Ohio

Old Mission Oil Company, of Okmulgee Capital \$12,000 Incorporators, W B Wood, O E Filley and Jay McCready

Page Lumber Company, of Muskogee Capital \$10,000 Incorporators, J F Hufbauer, Emma Hufbauer, Newkirk T M Page, Muskogee

Tulsa Book Store, of Tulsa Capital \$15,000 Incorporators, E F Hannan, Will T Glass and B H Rhoades

Renfrow-Horton Hardware Company, of Lawton Capital increased from \$50,000 to \$100,000

Oklahoma Granite and Monument Company of Oklahoma City and Cold Springs, increased capital from \$25,000 to \$100,000

Do You Need Money.

Loans made on improved city property or to build with Represent company that has greater facilities for handling city loans than all others combined Straight loan for long term with privilege to pay after one year Semi-annual payments Cheapest rates See Ada Title & Trust Co

Farms Loans See Carlton Weaver



A POINTER

If you want to buy real estate or have any to sell, see us The man with a few dollars will do well to place it in Ada really now, when he has an opportunity to get in on the ground floor Another year will see values very greatly enhanced We have several CHOICE BUSINESS SITES, also some CHOICE HOME SITES that it will pay you to consider

THE WEAVER AGENCY
Carlton Weaver, Representative

Oklahoma Central Railway

ASA E RAMSEY, Receiver
TIME TABLE NO. 12
Effective August 8, 1909

West Bound				East Bound			
Daily No. 1	Daily No. 3	Daily No. 5	Daily No. 7	Daily No. 8	Daily No. 10	Daily No. 12	Daily No. 14
A.M.	8 30	8 55	9 17	P.M.	5 30	5 05	4 44
	9 37	9 47	10 02		4 24	4 14	4 00
	10 25	10 40	10 55		3 40	3 20	3 10
	11 13	11 27	11 33		2 54	2 44	2 35
	12 00	12 15	12 30		2 10	1 55	1 40
	1 05	1 20	1 35		1 40	1 25	1 10
	7 50	8 05	8 20		12 55	12 40	12 25
	8 10	8 25	8 40		12 40	12 25	12 10
	1 57	2 12	2 27		11 45	11 30	11 15
	2 33	2 48	3 03		11 30	11 15	11 00
	3 25	3 40	3 55		11 15	11 00	10 45
	A.M.P.M.				A.M.P.M.		

B. M. HALL, Traffic Manager
Parrell, Oklahoma

Hotel Arrivals

Byrd Hotel—W. H. Keith, Lawton.
Harris Hotel—W. D. Williams, Louisville, J. H. Roach, Dallas, W. C. Andrews, Muskogee, Geo. C. Griss, Atlanta, Ga., J. J. Prescott, Ok. City; Thos E Ware, Ok City, H. A. Wilson, Shawnee

Chapman—Glen L. Hamilton, Max Hallaway, H Stein, Kan City, Elda Plumlin, Stratford

WOMAN LAWYER NOTHING NEW

Old Records Tell of Case Where One Pleaded Before Court in Ancient Babylonia.

Among the most interesting treasures of the British museum are the clay tablets of ancient Babylonia. These tablets, resembling unglazed tiles, throw quaint lights and shadows on the manners and customs of long ago. Usually the records are fragmentary, but are occasionally fairly complete, as is that of legal proceeding instituted by a "woman of Borsippa," which action is of particular interest as showing that a married woman's property law was in force as early as 550 B C

The proceedings to which the "documents" refer were taken by a woman against her brother-in-law to regain possession of property left by her husband. The evidence showed that a man of Babylon had married the woman from Borsippa, and with the money of her dowry he had bought an estate. After a few years, having no children of their own, they adopted a son, and shortly afterward the husband mortgaged the estate. Later he died, leaving the estate mortgaged, and his brother attempted to claim the property

The widow took the matter before the court at Borsippa; but it was beyond the jurisdiction of this court and was referred to the high court at Babylon. Here the case was duly heard, and the judges rendered a decision to the effect that, as the property had been the husband's, the widow could have it upon paying off the mortgage, and that the brother had no claim. Eventually, the estate would be the property of the adopted son. It is expressly stated, as though a matter of some interest, that the woman pleaded her own case in the high court of Babylon without assistance—The Sunday Magazine

SHOULD NOT READ AT MEALS

Many Reasons Why the Habit is Injurious as Well as Unmanly.

The habit of reading at meals is to be condemned, and more particularly when it has grown to one of actual study, and when the reader endeavors to gain knowledge and to save time at his meals. The solitary reader, if he reads, should only read what is light and amusing. The common practice of having the morning paper at our breakfast table is not especially injurious, as it furnishes items for conversation, and does not particularly exercise the brain, but if it should do so it is advisable to at once discontinue it. Digestion is always best when the physical processes of our frames are left to discharge their work free from nervous trammels. It is on the ground of the elevation of spirits produced by cheerful association with others that pleasant company at meals has always formed a condition of social enjoyment. The stimulus to nervous activity which is thus given acts beneficially on the digestive powers just as the man who is harassed, worried and excited will not be likely to digest or eat a satisfactory meal—Family Doctor

Unwritable English.

"Did you know that there is at least one sentence in English that can be spoken, but that it is impossible to write?" asked a Cambridge university don

"Yes, it's correct English, I suppose, and then again it isn't. Here is the sentence, although I vow I don't know how you are going to write it. 'There are three twos in the English language.' You see if you spell two, t w o, the sentence is incorrect, as it is if you spell it either 'too' or 'to.' Catch the point? Really it is incorrect to say it, although it certainly should be possible to express the thought. This thing has set me going, and it simply goes to show what a tangle the English language is. 'There certainly is a word 'two' and a word 'too' and another 'to,' and they are all three pronounced alike—two, too, or to—which makes it correct to say: 'There are three twos,' or 'three toos,' or 'three tos' in the English language. But what's the use?"

WANTS

Advertising under this head will be charged at following rates:

One insertion, per word.....1c
Addition insertion, per word....1-2c

FOR RENT.

FOR SALE—Furniture Good as new Phone Mrs Stockard at Mrs. T. J Smith's 181

WANTED.

WANTED—Young men to learn telegraphy for railroad service. Situation sure Dallas Telegraph College, Dallas Texas

WANTED—A girl to assist in housework with family of two persons. Address

Church Directory

"EVERY BOY AND GIRL IN SUNDAY SCHOOL AND EVERYBODY AT CHURCH."

Asbury Methodist Church.

Services every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and evening at 7:15.
Sunday school at 9:45, T. W. Robinson, superintendent
Junior League at 2 p. m with Mrs. C W Shepard
Intermediate League at 3 o'clock, Senior League at 6 p. m.
Woman's Home Mission is and 3rd Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.
MARSHALL DUPRE, Pastor

Presbyterian Church.

Services Sunday morning at 11 and evening at 8 00 J D White, pastor
Sunday School at 9 45, Orville Sneed, superintendent Junior Endeavor society meets every Sunday afternoon at 2 30 Ladies Aid Society meets every Monday afternoon at 2-30

First Baptist Church.

Sunday school 9:45, W. C. Duncan, superintendent Preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. J. R. Union, 4 p. m. S R Union 7 p. m. Ladies Aid and Mission Society Monday, 4 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday 8 p. m. C STUBBLEFIELD, Pastor.

Christian Church

Services Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 8:00 Rev. C M Smoots, p. tor.
Sunday School at 10 a. m., L T Walters, superintendent
Ladies Aid meets first and third Wednesdays and C W B M first Thursday in each month Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00
The Christian Endeavor Society meets at 3 p m

First Methodist Church.

Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday evening at 8:00 Rev W M Wilson, pastor.
Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock, T. F. Pierce, superintendent Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 8 00 Intermediate and Jr Leagues meet Sunday afternoon Home Mission Society meets every Monday afternoon at 3 p. m., ex-ernoon at 3 o'clock Bible study Friday night at 7 30

North Ada Baptist Church.

Sunday school 10 a m each Sunday B Y. P. U. 6 p m each Sunday, Prayer meeting 7 15 each Tuesday night.
Preaching 11 a. m. and 7-15 p. m. on the 2nd and 4th Sundays in each month
Business conference on the First Tuesday night in each month
O E FOWLER, Pastor.
A. N HARRISON, S S Supt. and Church Clerk

FRISCO.

Effective 12 01 a m, Jan 2, 1910.

NORTH BOUND

No 508 at 10 32 a m
No 514 at 5 04 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND

No 509 at 10 05 a m
No. 507 at 5 27 p m

OKLAHOMA CENTRAL.

Westbound.

No 3 due 10 25 a m
Local due 11 30 a. m

Eastbound.

No 2 due 3 40 p. m.
Local due 12 45 p. m.

M. K. & T.

Southbound.

No 111 due 11:10 a. m.

Northbound.

No 112 due 4 57 p. m.

LODGE DIRECTORY.

W. O. W.

Ada Camp, No 568, Woodmen of the World, meets every 1st and 3rd Monday nights at 1 O. O. F. hall Visting Woodmen are always welcome

Ada Aerie, No. 1746.

Meets every Wednesday evening in hall on South Townsend.

I. O. O. F.

Ada lodge No 52. O. F. meets every Thursday evening. A. T. Leaton, N G; C. F. Chauncey, secretary

Ada Rebekah Lodge No. 146.

Meets first and third Tuesday nights of each month Noble Grand. Mrs. Lola Harin; Secretary, Mrs. Olive Baker.

Magnolia Lodge K. of P.

Magnolia Lodge No 146, K. of P. meet every second and fourth Tuesday night's in each month. U. G. Wynn, Chancellor Commander; J. W. Westbrook, Secretary.